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GIGANTIC COMBINE

SMELTING AND MINING INTERESTS TO CONSOLIDATE.

BILLIONS WILL BE INVOLVED

WILL DWARF ALL OTHER MERGERS THUS FAR EFFECTED.

GUGGENHEIM IS INTERESTED?

Steel, Copper and Smelter Capitalists, It Is Reported, Will Unite to Extract Every Dollar Possible From Properties—Standard Oil Interested.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Powerful interests in Wall Street are said to be quietly moving for a consolidation of all the smelting and mining interests of the United States that will dwarf every other combination that has been thus far effected in the financial world.

The Standard Oil, the Guggenheims and the steel trust magnates are the men who are referred to as the ones who will ultimately get together. Thus far, it is admitted today, no actual negotiations have taken place, but experts say that affairs are taking such a trend that the great combinations referred to must unite to protect themselves.

The only obstacle in the way is public sentiment. It is feared it will be aroused as never before if this monster proposition is undertaken. It will involve billions of capital and will practically make a monopoly of mineral industries.

The year has been an eventful one for the Amalgamated Copper company. Two achievements stand out pre-eminent, namely, the settlement of the Rogers-Heinze seven years' war and the absorption of the Greene Consolidated Copper company and the Cananea Central Copper company, ostensibly by Thomas F. Cole and John D. Ryan, but virtually by No. 26 Broadway, Standard Oil company headquarters.

Today the Standard Oil interests control approximately 60 per cent of all the copper sold in this country, and its recent coup in Mexico will materially add to this percentage.

Are Looking Years Ahead.

The largest corporations in the country are all looking years and years ahead, to the time when the rich ore fields now being worked will become exhausted. Amalgamated, like the United States Steel corporation, is seeking to show its stability with bountiful stores of raw material, for by so doing a company not only improves its present position, but inspires confidence in its future and increases the attractiveness of its securities in the eyes of investors.

Thus, this giant of the copper world has made rich provision for the future, has enlarged its current output, has smote two important rivals and has tightened its grasp on the outlet for the metal. The last strategic movement has excited little comment in these days of unexampled prosperity and insatiable demand, but when the market becomes transferred from a seller's into a buyer's one, when lean years follow these fat years, the wisdom of this provision will be painfully brought home to the smaller producers, who will be largely, if not entirely, at the mercy of this dominant organization. So much for the king of the copper companies.

The Guggenheims are planning to become as big factors in the gold and copper industries as they already are in silver and lead. Early in 1898 they perfected their control of the lead industry by combining the National and United Lead companies; today they have no formidable rival in the field.

Through either actual control of mines or ownership of smelting plants they are by far the largest interests in the silver industry of the United States—so much so, indeed, that when the secretary of the treasury found he could not buy silver for the mint under 70 cents an ounce, he orully threatened to "investigate" the American Smelting and Refining company, the chief Guggenheim organization.

They have secured a number of properties of great potentiality in Nevada and are to build a big smelting plant. Their copper enterprises include the Nevada Consolidated, Cumberland-Ely, Veteran-Ely, Utah Copper and Boston Consolidated Copper, not to mention others of less note that have been quietly brought within the Guggenheim sphere of interest.

DENVER, Dec. 21.—"I know nothing of the talk of such a consolidation as reported in this telegram from New York," said Simon Guggenheim of the American Smelting and Refining company this noon. "So far as this company is entering such a merger is concerned there is no truth in it."

WOMAN BURNS IN CABIN

Unable to Save Herself, Perishes in Flames.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Lehman, aged 83, a paralytic, burned to death in her cabin today. She was alone and how the accident happened is not known. It is thought, however, she had been placed near the cabin to dry and ignited. Mrs. Lehman attempted to extinguish the flames, but her clothes caught fire and she was helpless to do anything to save herself. Mrs. Lehman had lived in this neighborhood for 30 years. She frequently spoke of a brother who was killed in Panama.

TO MAKE MAGNETIC SURVEY

Brig Galilee Leaves San Francisco on Her Fourth Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The brig Galilee, which is making a magnetic survey of the globe for the Carnegie institute, leaves tomorrow on her fourth trip. The voyage will consume nine or ten months and will include a visit to the south Pacific, around the horn to Baltimore, thence across the Atlantic through the Mediterranean, the Suez canal and the Red sea to the Indian ocean, across that and the Pacific to San Diego. For more than a week Commander Peter has been making test observations in order to get his instruments in proper adjustment.

ARRAIGNMENT POSTPONED

San Francisco Chief of Police to Appear in Court Monday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The arraignment of Chief of Police Dinan, on charge of perjury and conspiracy, was postponed today by Judge Lanne until Monday. Dinan appeared in court with his attorney, former District Attorney Byington, who asked a continuance until Monday and gave as his reason that the docket would be clear on that day and there would be no longer delay.

BRABLEYS GET NOTHING

CHILDREN CUT OFF IN WILL OF ARTHUR BROWN.

Document of Former Senator Expresses Doubt That Offspring of Mrs. Anna Bradley Are His.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 21.—Had the late Senator Arthur Brown foreseen his death at the hands of Mrs. Bradley, he could have devised no more ingenious retaliation than the post-mortem revenge contained in his will. The document which was written August 24, 1906, four months before Mr. Brown was shot down at the Raleigh in Washington was filed today for probate.

"I do not devise, or give, or bequeath anything to any of the children of Mrs. Anna M. Bradley," is the language of the will. "I do not think either or any child born to Mrs. Anna M. Bradley is or are mine, but whether such child or children is or not, I expressly provide that neither or any of them shall receive anything of my estate.

"I have never married Anna M. Bradley and never intend to. If she should pretend that any such relation ever existed between us to justify such interference, I direct my executor to contest any claims of any kind she may present, and I direct that she receive nothing from my estate."

The testator bequeaths all his property valued at about $75,000 to his two children by his first and second wife, Alice Brown and Max Brown.

The children so specifically disinherited are Arthur, aged 7 and Mark, aged 3 years. The attorneys engaged by Mrs. Bradley's relatives in Salt Lake decline to discuss the will at this time, but there is scarcely a question that a contest will be instituted as much for the purpose of establishing their paternity as to secure a monetary consideration. This is the more likely, as Mrs. Bradley is, or was a few months ago, in possession of letters signed with Brown's name in which the relationship with one or both of the children is acknowledged. In one of these letters, written after the birth of the first child, occurs the quotation:

"Your blood with mine commingled yet shall mount the throne of kings."

The contents of the will has caused a sensation in Salt Lake and given rise to severe criticism of the dead lawyer. The document was filed by Max Brown, who is named as executor.

MINER CAUGHT IN A CAVEIN

Mangled Body Recovered Twelve Hours After Accident—Samuel McFarland Victim.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21.—The body of Samuel McFarland, 42 years of age, who was caught in a cavein on the fourth level of the Specimen mine, on their lease to the Western Investment company, last night at 10 o'clock, was recovered at 10 o'clock this morning. The skull of the dead man was badly crushed, and several ribs were broken. The rescuing miners worked all night, and removed between 15 and 20 tons of rock before reaching the body.

McFarland, who was in the stope, was struck by falling rock, and about 15 tons engulfed him. The rescuers did not know if he was on the other side of the big fall of rock or not, until this morning when his body was found, and life was extinct.

Deceased leaves a wife and three children, residing on the corner of A and Warren avenue this city.

McFarland was a member of several fraternal orders, and carried insurance of $8,000.

SCHOOL BOARD STANDS PAT

Is Willing to Father Emphatic Letter Relating to Jap Situation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The board of education of San Francisco has agreed to stand by the contents of the emphatic letter which its secretary, E. F. Leffingwell, sent yesterday in reply to a severe criticism from a leading missionary in Japan.

Director David Oliver, Jr., said:

"The more one studies the question, the stronger the impression becomes that our federal government is inclining toward imperialism. That is, there is evidently a certain clique or inner circle in course of formation which set is plainly dominated by the manufacturers and producers association in the east and by the trusts."

REFORM IS NEEDED

CHANGES NECESSARY FOR THE COMMON GOOD.

"CONTROL OF CORPORATIONS"

JUDGE GROSSCUP, OF CHICAGO, MAKES POINTED TALK.

EXPLAINS WHAT IS WANTED

Obligation of Present Generation Is Settlement of Ways and Means Whereby Everyone May Share in Country's Prosperity. Speaks of Roosevelt.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 21.—Judge Peter S. Grosscup, of Chicago addressed an audience of 2,000 at the Grand Opera house this evening on "The Control of Corporations."

The address was given under the auspices of the Commercial club and the faculty of Wittenburg college, of which Judge Grosscup is a graduate. He said in part:

I have a friend up the state who the morning of every election day votes his party ticket, and votes it with as much publicity as the law permits, but in the evening waits for the returns, his heart full of the wish that the other party has won. There are many men in public life today who have just that kind of fealty to the president and his policies. My respect for him is not of that kind. No other individual career in recent years has so conspicuously broken into a public atmosphere that had become stagnant, clearing it up as an electrical storm clears up a sultry summer day. In the character of a great moral force, I look upon Mr. Roosevelt as one of the great figures of the times in which we live. To no other individual has been given so great an opportunity to lay anew the foundations on which our country's future peace and prosperity must rest; to the extent that he is effectively using that opportunity—getting results out of the popular awakening—I follow him as my leader.

But, like every great man in the crisis of a great career, the president stands now at a point where it will be specially determined whether foundations that go deep enough to sustain the new great industrial life on which America has entered are to be laid by him, leaving it to his successors to carry up the superstructure, or whether he is to go off the stage the great evangel, but an evangel only, of the future that awaits us.

The Greatest Problem.

The danger that threatens him is the old, old danger that lurks in every attempt to do too many things at one and the same time. And the one great thing that is upon this generation of Americans to settle—to settle that it will stay settled in the ways and means through which the property and the prosperity of the country, indisputably great, and growing greater every day, shall be put on their way to becoming the property and the prosperity of the entire people of this country. When that great work is accomplished, or fairly on its way toward accomplishment, the obligation of this generation of Americans will have been discharged. But that great work will never be put on its way to accomplishment by anything less than an earnest, organized, popular movement, that, denying to itself everything else, concentrates itself upon a corporation reform, that, like the great German corporation reform of thirty years ago, will go to the bottom of the wrong.

No mere so-called federal license plan will fulfill that end; the reform to bring back the people of the country into the ownership and control of the property of the country, must not rest upon a corporation policy as it exists today, changed in no particular except that the corporations are to be subjected to a little additional scrutiny at Washington.

Prosecution Insufficient.

The mere prosecution of corporations that are disobeying the law, as the law exists today, will not fulfill that end; something more must be done with the corporation than to put it on the docket of the criminal courts.

No mere policy of curtailing great fortunes, by a system of income or inheritance taxes, will, standing alone, fulfill that end. To restore to the people of the country the ownership and control of the property of the country requires that we should be concerned much more for a state of things that will create many little property fortunes, than for a state of things that admits of no great fortunes.

The mere academic advocacy of greater national powers will not fulfill that end. A program based on the general extension of the nation's powers will do nothing but raise up enemies among those who ought to be the friends of genuine corporation reform. The deepest instinct of the American is the instinct of individual freedom. Beginning with himself, and those who depend upon him, and the obligations he owes to himself, and those who depend upon him, the American will willingly surrender nothing to the community that he feels bound in conscience to perform himself; nothing to the larger community called the state, that he feels should be performed by the smaller community of which he is proportionally a larger part; nothing to the nation that he feels should be performed by the state. And when you ask him in the interest of this or any other cause to separate himself further and further from individual control of those duties that are dearest to him—the education of his children, their religious training, the whole circle of what he has always looked upon as a personal responsibility, you ask him to surrender a thing, that rather than surrender he will abandon the cause. Besides, to reform the corporation, to reform it in a way, too, that goes to the bottom of our social and industrial wrongs, does not require that there should be an extension of national power. There has been in all the great events of the past quarter of a century no actual extension of national power.

National Power.

Every power of the nation has existed since the last constitutional amendment was adopted, as it exists now. What has happened is not that the national power has grown, but that the things on which that power acts have grown. The power of the government, for instance, to establish and regulate the postoffice was as great at the beginning as it is now. It is not the power, but the postoffice that has grown.

The power of the government to regulate interstate commerce, and through such regulation to reach corporations doing an interstate commerce business, was as great at the beginning of the government as it is now. It is not the power, but the commerce that has grown, and the corporations that are doing an interstate business. All power the nation needs the nation now has.

What Is Wanted.

What is wanted is not more power; what is wanted is a clearer vision that at the bottom of the people's unrest lies this fact: That under conditions as they began to be, the people of this generation were denied admission into the great property inheritance, that all around them, the genius and industry of this generation is building—a fact that ferments, and will continue to ferment, and will cause the whole body politic to ferment, until it is removed. What is wanted is not more national power; what is wanted is a clearer vision that the great new industrial life of the country is an incorporated life and in the nature of things, unless we slide into public ownership, must remain an incorporated life; but that door to proprietorship is barred to the people, not because that life is incorporated, but because of the character of the corporation that we have created to hold and embody it. What is wanted is not more national power; what is wanted is the spirit of genuine reform—a genuine people's movement, organized throughout the nation and in every state, that will not lay down its arms until the battle of corporate reform is won, under a leadership that will not dissipate its strength by bringing on a series of lesser disconnected battles, until the great battle is won; the kind of concentrated movement, that under a fixed flag, and pursuing a fixed great end, gives to the people the moral fighting power without which no great cause is ever won.

MOB LYNCHES NEGRO

ANNAPOLIS JAIL STORMED BY INDIGNANT CROWD.

Victim Had Criminally Assaulted White Woman Riddled by Many Bullets.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 21.—A mob numbering 25 or 30 men, broke down the door of the Annapolis jail at an early hour today, took out Henry Davis, the negro who on last Friday criminally assaulted Mrs. John Reid (white) near Iglehart station and lynched him.

Davis, who was also known by the name of Chambers, confessed his guilt before being put to death. Little or no resistance was offered to the mob by the officers at the jail, and none whatever by the prisoner. The negro was dragged by the mob from the jail to a vacant lot on College creek a quarter of a mile distant, where he was strung up to a limb of a tree and half a dozen bullets fired into his body. He is thought to have died instantly.

As the body was being let down, some one cried out "another white woman is avenged." On the way to the place of execution, members of the lynching party kicked and cuffed Davis whenever opportunity was offered.

His body was left lying under the tree which had served as the gallows. It was viewed by hundreds of persons during the day. Later, a coroner's jury was impanelled, and after hearing the witnesses, returned a verdict of death at the hands of person unknown to the jury.

The prison from which Davis was taken is a hundred years old.

The lynching party used Senior hall, of St. John's college, for its assembling place. This fact is taken to indicate that most of the men connected with the affair were Annapolis men, and did not come from Iglehart station, where Mrs. Reid lives. As early as 11 o'clock it appears the mob began to collect on St. John's campus. Sometime after 12 o'clock the crowd entered the lower floor of Senior hall, there its members proceeded to blacken their faces, and some of them donned masks. They were quiet in their movements, but some of the students were awakened. These later came down and watched the proceedings but did not interfere or give any alarm.

The college authorities strongly denied today that any of the students were implicated in the lynching. Most of them are at their homes for the holidays. On its way to the jail, the mob stopped at the Annapolis gas plant and tried to enter, but failed to gain admittance. It is presumed that the intention was to cut off the town lights.

HANGING OF YOUTH HORRIBLE

Rope Breaks, and Trap Is Sprung a Second Time—Hamilton Pays Penalty for Crime.

HOUSTON, Mo., Dec. 21.—The execution here today of Joda Hamilton, the 20-year-old farmer boy, for the murder of five members of the family of Barney Parsons, a farmer, was a horrible affair. Two attempts were necessary before the hanging proved successful. The first rope broke. At the first attempt Hamilton shot through the trap with a jerk and the spectators were horrified to see the rope part. Hamilton dropped to the ground and lay there writhing in pain. Partially conscious he was picked up quickly and carried a second time to the scaffold. The rope was hurriedly placed about the boy's neck and the trap again sprung. This time it was successful. The trap was first sprung at 12:05. It required some time to repair the rope and it was 1:10 before the trap was sprung the second time. The attending physician express the belief that Hamilton was fatally injured by the first fall and died before he dropped the second time. The body was turned over to Hamilton's father.

LITTLE GIRL IS OUTRAGED

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 21.—A special from Prescott, Ariz., says that a Mexican named Gonzales was lodged in jail there today charged with having outraged the four-year-old daughter of a miner named McIntosh at Humboldt. It is believed his victim will die. Gonzales was given a secret hearing and spirited away to jail there to prevent a lynching.

INCREASES ARMY

JAPAN'S MILITARY FORCES FORMIDABLE.

HAS TOTAL OF 19 DIVISIONS

ABLE TO PUT THREE-QUARTERS OF MILLION TROOPS IN FIELD.

FAMINE CONDITION APPALLING

Unless Immediate Relief Be Given, Eight to Ten Million Chinese Will Suffer and Many Will Perish. No Relief Till Crops Ripen Next June.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 21.—Advices were received by the steamer Tremont, which arrived today from the orient, that the Japanese cabinet had agreed to increase the Japanese army by two divisions, as urged by the minister of war. Funds will be found by cutting down extraordinary appropriations of other departments. The Japanese army will have a total of 19 divisions when the increase is made.

With the establishment of the new divisions Japan will be able to put three-quarters of a million troops in the field. Three new forces are proposed to be raised—heavy field artillery, artillery armed with quick firing guns and cavalry.

Insurgents Are Taken.

Japan is repressing Formosan insurgents with a heavy hand. A long blockading line has been formed similar to Kitchener's block house idea in South Africa, and the insurgent villages are being taken one by one.

The insurgents have been driven back to the mountains and many have surrendered.

Further advices from China were received of famine, already causing heavy loss of life in Anhui and Kiangsu provinces. The flooded area covers 40,000 square miles, which supported 15,000,000 persons. Tens of thousands are living on leaves and roots.

Famine Appalling.

Rev. T. F. McCrea, writing to Shanghai appealing for help, said:

"Unless immediate relief be given, eight to ten million will experience famine and a great number will perish. Hundreds are already dying of famine and fever. Some throw their children into the water and then commit suicide. Many are selling their children for almost nothing. Officials are forcing the famine sufferers with gunboats and soldiers to remain in the flooded districts, while failing to supply food and they must starve. Disturbances are taking place and will become serious. The starving people feel that they may as well die by the sword as by starvation. There will be no relief until the crops ripen next June and the prospects are awful to contemplate."

NEWCASTLE HAS QUAKE

Earth Trembles Violently; Cause of Disturbance Not Known.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 21.—A violent trembling of the earth was felt on both sides of the Grand river in the neighborhood of Newcastle 20 miles west of here about nine o'clock this morning. The shock lasted three minutes and caused houses in the town to rock. The actual cause of the disturbance is uncertain, though many attribute it to an explosion of accumulated gas in the Wheeler coal vein, which runs north and south beyond Newcastle. This vein of coal was worked for years, but finally had to be abandoned because of frequently recurring fires which made it dangerous for men to work. One theory of today's disturbance is that the earth settled, the displacement having been caused by fire which slowly burned away the coal vein.

FARMERS CONFISCATE COAL

Take Car From Santa Fe Freight Train in Oklahoma.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Dec. 21.—A special to the State Capital from Shattuc says that 100 tons of coal were confiscated there last night from a Santa Fe freight train by a band of farmers, made desperate by the unalleviated fuel famine. The situation in Woodward county is rapidly nearing the acute stage. As long as the weather remains comparatively mild there is no danger of actual suffering, but if a blizzard should materialize the people will be in dire straits. A special from Chickasha states that the high school there has closed on account of a shortage of fuel.

SOUTH DAKOTA STANDS TESTS

Ship Meets Expectations of Naval Officers.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Dec. 21.—With almost ideal conditions of wind and weather prevailing in the Santa Barbara channel, the cruiser South Dakota today fully realized the expectations of builders and naval officers connected with the government's tests. The mean of her five high-speed runs over the measured mile was 22.128 knots per hour, and the highest run was at the rate of 22.758 knots. The South Dakota will leave at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning for her endurance test.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 21.—Receiver Theodore G. Risley, for the defunct Astor bank, has recommended to the controller of the currency a payment of the first dividend of 20 per cent on the first of February. There is little doubt that the recommendation will be approved.

DEPENDS ON ROOSEVELT

Red Cross Society Defers Action on Famine in China.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The famine in China was considered at a meeting of the American National Red Cross at the war department tonight, but it was concluded that whatever steps the society took would depend upon the action which the president is expected to take tomorrow. It was said the president would probably issue a proclamation on Monday, and it was decided that when this appeal is issued the society will go to work at once through its state agencies for the collection of funds and food supplies.

PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED

Explosion of Giant Powder Near Canon City Destructive.

PUEBLO, Dec. 21.—A special to the Chieftain from Canon City, says:

Ernest Lord and Earl Tannehill were perhaps fatally injured this afternoon by a delayed explosion of giant powder, while they were blasting for the Diamond Fire Brick company.

The accident happened on the F. & C. C. R. R., 12 miles from Canon City, and the victims were taken home on a locomotive. Lord has a wife and family. Tannehill is unmarried.

CAPTAIN MACKLIN SHOT

MEMBER DISCHARGED NEGRO TROOPS SUSPECTED.

Is Called to His Door and Fired on by Black, Who Claimed to Be Messenger—May Die.

EL RENO, Okla., Dec. 21.—Capt. Edgar B. Macklin, of company C, 25th United States infantry, was shot twice and dangerously wounded tonight by a negro, and belief is expressed here that it was one of the members of the troops discharged by President Roosevelt for participation in the Brownsville riots. Bloodhounds will be brought here from Oklahoma City to track the assassin. The shooting occurred at the officers' quarters at Fort Reno. Captain Macklin and his wife were seated at the dinner table when someone tried to gain entrance at the side door. Captain Macklin asked:

"Who is there?"

The reply came: "I have a message for you."

"Come around to the back door," said Macklin.

A negro, part of his face covered by a mask, entered with the command, "Throw up your hands and give me all the money you've got."

Without giving Captain Macklin time to reply he fired twice, then fled into the darkness. One bullet entered Captain Macklin's abdomen, the second struck him in the jaw. The surgeon says that while his wounds are dangerous, they are not necessarily fatal.

Captain Macklin is about 30 years of age and is a son of Colonel Macklin who recently was retired with the pay of a brigadier general.

On December 14, the secretary of war, upon recommendation of the general staff, ordered the trial by court-martial of Captain Macklin, under the sixty-second article of war for "conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline," in failing to exercise due diligence in preventing the occurrence of rioting at Brownsville last August.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 21.—Two fierce bloodhounds, said to have never failed to bring a wanted man to bay when once on his trail will be taken to El Reno at 6 o'clock to be used in running down, if possible, the negro who last night shot and dangerously wounded Captain Macklin of the Twenty-fifth infantry.

Reports received late last night state that searchers has been unable to find any trace of the assassin but the hunt had not been abandoned.

Captain Macklin, it was said, was resting easily. He was able to give a fairly good description of his assailant but officers at the fort refuse to state whether it was one of the discharged troops.

ASSOCIATION OF PRESIDENTS

Life Insurance Companies Plan New Organization—Initial Steps Taken in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The first steps were taken today toward the formation of an "Association of Life Insurance Presidents." Broadly stated, the purposes will be to further the interests of policy holders and to bring about more uniform methods in the management of life insurance business.

Today's meeting was held at the suggestion of President Paul Morton of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, and brought together representatives of 34 companies, while three other companies sent communications approving the movement. Mr. Morton presided and Thomas A. Buckner, second vice president of the New York Life Insurance company, acted as temporary secretary. A committee appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws subsequently reported a tentative plan of organization. The plan met with general approval, but final action was deferred until December 28, when it is proposed to effect a permanent organization. President and vice presidents representing their companies will be eligible to membership.

Mr. Morton of the committee on organization, said tonight:

"The plan is only tentative, but under it the welfare of the policy holder will be the first thing considered and next will come a better and more uniform practice generally in life insurance. Expenses are to be reduced where possible and waste eliminated. The association will publicly present its views to law making bodies and all others wishing light and information on life insurance matters.

RELIEF MEASURES

AGREED UPON BY RAILROADS AND COMMISSION.

FREE INTERCHANGE OF CARS

SHORTAGE MAY BE OVERCOME IN THIS MANNER.

INVESTIGATION IS AT AN END

Report of Conditions to Be Incorporated by Interstate Commerce Commission in General Report Covering U. S.—To Be Given to Congress.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21.—At the conclusion tonight of the inquiry into the question of the freight car shortage in the west, before C. A. Prouty, interstate commerce commissioner, which began in St. Louis and ended here tonight, the commissioner, shippers and the representatives of the railroads agreed that all parties concerned would be greatly benefited and present conditions relieved if a free interchange of cars between railroad companies could be brought about.

Suggestion Is Indorsed.

This solution was first suggested by the shippers, was approved by Commissioner Prouty and was indorsed by the railroad representatives when today they were given an opportunity to state their ideas of the case.

It is understood that western railway lines generally favor a free interchange of freight cars, but that eastern roads have refused to enter into such an agreement. The reason for this difference, it is said, is that eastern roads are profiting by the present conditions and are using many thousands of cars belonging to western roads and their own equipment as well, causing a serious shortage to exist in the west and southwest. Western lines have been forced to issue the order that such cars as they have left are not to leave their own respective tracks.

After the hearing had adjourned, Commissioner Prouty said:

"An interchange of cars by all the railroads would do away with much of the shipping trouble. And then, this country is a long way from New York. Owners of railroads are not thoroughly familiar with conditions here. They are inclined to make arrangements first and consider the public later."

Railroads Powerless.

M. A. Low, attorney for the Rock Island, in making the closing statement for the railroads, said that his road did not lack motive power to move freight, and that it could care for all the business offered if it could get possession of all the cars it owned. He said that penalizing the railroads for failure to supply cars when ordered by shippers will have no good effect. He said that any legislation would be along remedial lines and should not impose a penalty upon the railroads for something they cannot avoid under present conditions.

Mr. Prouty left for Washington tonight. The report of his investigations in the west will be incorporated in a general report of freight conditions in the United States, to be submitted to President Roosevelt and congress.

HEYL IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Prominent Milwaukee Man Again in the Public Eye.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 21.—Clara S. Heyl, daughter of the late Mrs. Lizzie Shandein and wife of Jacob Heyl began suit for divorce in the circuit court today. Jacob Heyl was the central figure in the celebrated Shandein will case, which attracted attention throughout the country several months ago, and in which an estate valued at over $5,000,000 figured.

Mrs. Heyl asks for the custody of her two children. In stating the various incidents of alleged cruel and inhuman treatment, the complaint recites that on two occasions Heyl threatened to kill his wife.

Heyl in his answer asserts that the two children are not being properly educated by Mrs. Heyl. He admits allegations in the complaint but maintains that his wife has not always worked for his best interests and has not been loyal to him. Mrs. Heyl got about $3,000,000 outright of the Shandein estate and Mr. Heyl is alleged to have received $1,000,000 from Mrs. Shandein prior to her death for services of a kind or another.

FAIRCHILD FUNERAL SERVICE

Held in New York, Santa Barbara, Paris and Mukden.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Helen Fairchild of this city, the [illegible] who recently accidentally shot herself, were held tonight at the residence of her father, the church of Our Heavenly Rest, Rev. Dr. Parker officiating. Among those who attended were the father and two brothers of the victim. Mr. Fairchild was 28 years old and a graduate of Harvard. He resigned his appointment from Mukden in September, [illegible] to Mukden in September, [illegible] services were also held today in Paris and other places. Fairchild's father and a sister died in a [illegible] in Santa Barbara, Cal. His brother, Blair, was killed in a railroad [illegible] in Paris. Funeral services were also held in [illegible] Wis. [illegible] relatives [illegible] interment [illegible]

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We desire to call attention to the people of Colorado Springs and vicinity, where they can save money on their Xmas purchases. A dollar does the work of two at The May.

Read On

Girls, Any of These Will Tickle Him

Silk Hats, Gloves,
Dress Suit Cases,
Opera Hats,
Shirts, Neckwear,
Scarf Pins,
Bath Robes,
Hand Bags, Night
Shirts, Suspenders
Rain Coats,
Tuxedo Suits,
Overcoats, Suits,

Practical Xmas Gifts For Men and Boys

Smoking Jackets,
Underwear,
Umbrellas,
Mufflers, Hosiery,
Lounging Robes,
Pajamas,
Handkerchiefs,
Full Dress
Shirts,
Fancy Vests, Full
Dress Mufflers.

Some very important offerings for Friday and Saturday.

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

Formerly $30.00, now $20.00
Formerly $25.00, now $17.50
Formerly $20.00, now $15.00
Formerly $15.00, now $11.50
Formerly $12.50, now $10.00
Formerly $10.00, now ..... $ 7.90

Young men's suits and overcoats from 33 to 37, in black dress suits.

SPECIAL FOR THREE DAYS.

Formerly $25.00, now $17.50
Formerly $20.00, now $15.00
Formerly $15.00, now $12.50
Formerly $12.50, now $10.00
Formerly $10.00, now ..... $ 7.50
Formerly $ 8.00, now ..... $ 6.00

Special for Friday and Saturday

HOUSE COATS AND BATH ROBES.

Formerly $8.50, Special $5.75
Formerly $7.00, Special $4.75
Formerly $6.00, Special $3.75

FANCY VESTS.

Formerly $8.00, Special $6.00
Formerly $7.00, Special $5.00
Formerly $6.00, Special $4.00
Formerly $5.00, Special $3.50
Formerly $3.50, Special $2.75
Formerly $3.00, Special $2.25
Formerly $2.50, Special $1.50
Formerly $1.50, Special 98c

Make any change desired after Xmas.

THE MAY

Home of Good Clothing and Toggery.

Too Many Holiday Goods

and but two days to sell them. We realize that in order to accomplish this we must take drastic measures. We announce for Saturday's selling great reductions in price on all Holiday Goods and Toys. These prices for all day Saturday and after supper. Your dollars will stretch like rubber here on Saturday.

LINENS AND BLANKETS

All Day Saturday and After Supper Sale.

35c dresser scarfs and stand covers to match, all day Saturday 21c
75c and 65c all pure linen dresser scarfs and stand covers, all day Saturday 50c
15c hemstitched doilies, on sale 10c
10c hemstitched doilies, on sale 5c
50c pillow shams in open work effects on sale 39c
$5.00 Japanese drawn dresser scarfs and center pieces on sale $3.98
$3.00 Japanese drawn work pieces for $2.25
$7.50 11-4 all wool blankets $5.00
$5.00 11-4 all wool blankets $3.75
$2.00 12-4 cotton blankets $1.29
$1.35 11-4 cotton blankets 98c
20 per cent off on all linen sets all day.

UNDERWEAR BARGAINS

All Day Saturday and After Supper Sale.

Ladies' sanitary Australian wool pants and vests, regular 75c, special sale 50c
Ladies' cream heavy fleeced garments, regular 65c and 75c, sale price 50c
Ladies' fleeced garments, in cream, regular 35c, special sale 25c
Children's union suits in cream and grey, age 3 years to 15, special sale 19c
Children's heavy fleeced or Jersey ribbed underwear, pants, vests and drawers, regular 35c and 40c, special 25c

COMBS, BELTS AND BAGS

Reduced for Saturday Selling.

A full and complete line of side and back combs from 10c to $7.50
A complete showing of all the novelties in silk and leather, silk plaids and other styles at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00
One lot of belts in silk and leather worth 25c, while they last, Saturday 5c
$2.25, $2.48 and $3.00 ladies' beaded purses on sale $1.98
65c children's beaded purses on sale 50c
35c children's beaded and leather purses on sale 25c

COLLARS AND RIBBONS

On Sale Saturday.

12 dozen ladies' silk and chiffon stock collars, regular price 75c, all day Saturday and after supper 50c
15 dozen ladies' linen, chiffon and lace collars, regular price 50c, all day Saturday and after supper 35c
10 dozen ladies' linen embroidered, lace and silk collars, regular price 35c and 39c, all days Saturday 25c
10 dozen ladies' turnover and lace collars, regular price 20c and 25c, on sale Saturday 15c
5, 7 and 9 all silk taffeta ribbons, all colors, on sale, yard 5c
12, 16, 22 and 40 silk taffeta ribbon, all colors, on sale, yard 10c
60, 80 and 100 silk taffeta ribbons, on sale 15c

BOX STATIONERY 20 PER CENT OFF

We are showing the largest line of box stationery in town, which makes a very useful and appropriate Xmas gift. The quality is the finest made and the boxes are handsome; prices 18c to $2.98, on sale Saturday at 20 per cent off regular price.

Saturday, all Day and Evening

MUST BE OUR BANNER DAY OF THE YEAR. WE DON'T WANT A COAT, SUIT OR FUR LEFT IN OUR SUIT ROOM BY CHRISTMAS EVE.

Coats	Furs	Suits
$10.00 Coats **$2.69**	$1.50 Furs **59c**	$12.00 Suits **$5.69**
$15.00 Coats **$7.50**	$4.00 Furs **$1.98**	$16.50 Suits **$9.00**
$18.00 Coats **$9.00**	$8.00 Furs **$2.97**	$18.00 Suits **$12.50**
$25.00 Coats **$12.50**	$10.00 Furs **$3.98**	$20.00 Suits **$14.00**
$35.00 Coats **$17.50**	$12.00 Furs **$4.98**	$22.50 Suits **$15.00**
$40.00 Coats **$20.00**	$15.00 Furs **$6.98**	$28.00 Suits **$16.50**

Kimonas	Waists	Skirts
75c Kimono **39c**	$5.00 Waist **$3.50**	$5.00 Skirt **$1.98**
$1.25 Kimono **79c**	$6.50 Waist **$4.50**	$7.00 Skirt **$4.98**
$2.50 Kimono **$1.98**	$8.00 Waist **$6.00**	$8.50 Skirt **$6.00**
$5.00 Kimono **$3.98**	$12.00 Waist **$8.50**	$10.00 Skirt **$7.50**
$6.50 Kimono **$4.98**	$15.00 Waist **$12.00**	$12.00 Skirt **$8.50**

Xmas Handkerchiefs

on sale. Buy them Saturday and save money.

Ladies' white hemstitched handkerchiefs, regular price 4c, on sale 2 for 5c
Ladies' fancy embroidered handkerchiefs, hundreds of styles, a 20c value, on sale 6 for $1.00
Ladies' hemstitched silk initial handkerchiefs, 20c value on sale 6 for $1.00
Ladies' linen hemstitched initial handkerchiefs, 12½c value, 6 in box, 60c
Ladies' fine Irish linen and silk initial and embroidered handkerchiefs, in assorted hems, 15c, 25c, 35c, 30c, 50c and up to $1.50
A full and complete line of men's handkerchiefs in plain hemstitched, colored borders, initials, in cotton, linen and silk at 5c, 6¼c, 7½c, 8½c, 10c, 12½, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, up to $1.00
Men's fancy and plain silk mufflers, long and square, from 35c to $2.50
Handkerchiefs for children in Fodak and book form boxes, 3 and 6 in box, at 20c and 60c
Ladies' plain hemstitched handkerchiefs or colored borders, regular price 5c, on sale 6 for 20c
Extra quality fine lawn hemstitched handkerchiefs, 7c value, on sale for 6 for 25c
Several styles fancy embroidered hemstitched handkerchiefs, also a pure linen hemstitched, a 10c value, on sale 5 for 25c
Ladies' initial hemstitched handkerchiefs, regular 6c value on sale 6 for 25c
Ladies' pure linen and cambric hemstitched and embroidered, 12½c value, on sale 3 for 25c
Fine quality hemstitched and fancy embroidered handkerchiefs, 15c value, on sale 5 for 25c

Price Cutting now on in the Basement

10 per cent discount on all Christmas tree ornaments.

Candles 10c per box.
15c doll rocker and chairs 10c
Cut prices on all juvenile books.
Henty and Alger series 23c
45c blackboards 35c
$1.50 magnetic fish ponds $1.00
$1.75 rooster shoo-flys go at $1.35
$1.25 wire go-carts 98c
98c wire go-carts 85c
Cut on Bibles.
$2.25 tool chests $1.98
$1.25 writing desks $1.00
$1.50 writing desks $1.25
Big cut on building blocks, croquet sets, 10-pins.

Special cut on all doll buggies and wheelbarrows, magic lanterns—in fact, we will make it interesting for you on anything in the Christmas line.

TOY TRAINS.

Engine and one coach 10c
Engine and two coaches 15c
25c drums 15c
Toy china dishes, all sizes, all styles, at special cut prices.
Cut prices on iron wagons, automobiles, doll buggies.
Cut prices on china bric-a-brac, cups, saucers and plates; vases.

10 per cent off on all Holiday Novelties

such as toilet sets, brush and comb sets, manicuring sets, collar and cuff boxes, boxed stationery, burnt leather goods, picture frames, mirrors, necklaces and beads, opera bags, work boxes, and a thousand other articles which make handsome and useful Xmas gifts.

DELTA'S DEPARTMENT STORE

UNDERBUYERS AND UNDERSELLERS.

XMAS GLOVE SALE

All Day Saturday and After Supper. Big Reductions on Gloves.

16-button length kid gloves, always sold at $1.25, in this sale $3.00
12-button length kid gloves reduced from $3.75 to $2.50
2-clasp double mercerized gloves at 50c
2-clasp cashmerette gloves in black, brown and grey, cut from 50c to 39c

SPLENDID FASCINATOR VALUES.

$1.25 heavy shawl fascinators at $1; 89c fascinators in black and white cut to 75c; all 50c fascinators 50c

SPECIAL GLOVE OFFER.

We are selling a $1.25 2-clasp French kid glove, in a prettily decorated glove box for $1.25—just the price of the gloves.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

All Day Saturday and After Supper Sale.

36-in. black silk, soft finish, guaranteed, sold for $1.25, Saturday and after supper sale 80c
36-in. fancy silks in hair line, brocaded and checks, worth $1.50, Saturday and after supper sale 80c
19-in. stripe, plain and dots, worth 65c Saturday and after supper sale price 39c
19-in. and 24-in. short lengths, from 1 yard to 10, worth 89c, Saturday and after supper sale 25c
46-in. mohairs in black, blue, brown, red and green, 65c, Saturday and after supper sale 50c
Remember our remnants of wool dress goods at half price.

BEADS AND NECKLACES

of every color and kind on sale Saturday at cost.

18c string beads reduced to 15c
25c string beads reduced to 19c
35c and 38c string beads reduced to 25c
50c string beads reduced to 35c
50c necklaces reduced to 39c
65c necklaces reduced to 50c
85c neckwear reduced to 65c
$1.98 pearl necklaces reduced $1.50
$2.25 pearl necklaces reduced $1.80
$2.50 pearl necklaces reduced $1.98
$2.75 pearl necklaces reduced $2.25
$3.50 pearl necklaces reduced $2.50
$4.50 pearl necklaces reduced $3.25
$5.00 pearl necklaces reduced $3.98

HOSIERY SPECIALS

All Day Saturday and After Supper Sale.

Ladies' fine cashmere hose in all sizes, a regular 35c hose on sale all day Saturday for 25c
Boys' and girls' black cotton hose in sizes 6½, 7, 7½, 8½ and 10, a good 20c hose; will sell them all day Saturday, 2 pairs for 25c
Boys' heavy fleeced lined hose, a regular 25c hose on sale all day Saturday for 19c
Infants' fine cashmere hose in black and white, a good 25c value, Saturday's sale price 15c
Burson full fashioned hose in black, 3 pairs to box, per box $1.00
Extra fine quality Burson hose, the "No-seam" hosiery, the 50c quality, special holiday price, 3 pairs $1.25

ALBUMS REDUCED

$1.50 postal card albums cut to $1
75c postal card albums cut to 55c
50c postal card albums cut to 45c
$1.75 picture albums cut to $1.25
$1.48 picture albums cut to 98c
65c picture albums cut to 39c
50c picture albums cut to 35c

TRANSFERRED TO MAIN PRISON

Patrick Will Be Confined in Ordinary Cell, and Be Put to Work in Sash and Door Factory.

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William Marsh Rice, was officially notified today by Warden Johnson of the commutation of his death sentence to imprisonment for life by Governor Higgins and was taken from the death house where he has been confined for four years and eight months and placed in a cell in the main prison. He will be put to work in the sash and door factory tomorrow.

Patrick gave to the warden a letter addressed to Mrs. Patrick which he desired to have made public. In it he says:

"My health is good except that I am worn out and tire very easily; but my mind is clear and I have been and will be guided only by my own judgment."

The letter said he would appeal to the incoming government to set him free.

Since Patrick has been in the death house he has given no trouble whatever to the warden or to the keepers. He showed a dread of going into the main prison as a life convict, as he will have to comply with the prison rules. During his long incarceration in the death house he has had a large, roomy cell, has had the use of all the books and papers he desired, and has received frequent visits from his wife. In the main prison, he will be confined in the ordinary cell. His reading will be confined to an occasional book from the prison library and according to the prison rules the visits of his wife will be far less frequent than formerly. In the past Patrick has been supplied by the warden with choice meals but hereafter he will have to be satisfied with the regular prison fare.

The following written statement was later given to the warden by Patrick:

"Please take notice that I reject the warrant of the governor of the state of New York now in your hands, commuting my death sentence to imprisonment for life, that I refuse to accept or take any benefit under the same and that I protest against the execution thereof upon the ground that said warrant as well as the judgement of conviction upon which it is founded, is contrary to law and void."

GAMBLING TOOLS BURNED

Paraphernalia to the Value of $2,000 Destroyed by Order of Court. Charity Offer Refused.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21. Undersheriff E. F. Parsons, acting under instructions from Judge Seeds of the district court, this morning at 10:30 o'clock burned gambling paraphernalia, to the value of $2,000, in front of the court house. Four roulette wheels, four faro layouts, two crap tables, together with chips and other gambling tools, were burned.

Victor Weissberg was among the crowd, and offered $100 in cash to Judge Seeds, who was present, for the tools before they were burned, the $100 to be given to charity. Judge Seeds rebuked Weissburg, and informed him that the law made no such provisions.

Weissburg is the proprietor of a saloon, and the upstairs of his resort has been a gambling house.

CHILD BORN ABOARD TRAIN

Texas Woman Is Mother of Boy Who Is Named "Rockisland."

EL RENO, Okla., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Charles Bright, of Fort Worth, Tex., en route to Wichita, gave birth to a baby boy at 5:10 o'clock this afternoon on northbound Rock Island passenger train No. 12, between Duncan and Marlow, I. T. Traveling men made up a handsome purse for the youngster, who has been named "Rockisland" Bright.

If you wish a nice rocker we have a good assortment. Here is where we save you money.

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When you buy eastern candies do you know

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And do you know that eastern candies dry out rapidly in this dry air if not made especially for here?

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SPORTS

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

Boys of Steele School Organize Two Teams.

The students at the Steele school have organized two association football teams for the coming season and during the holidays will indulge in the sport. A similar team is being formed by the juniors of the Y. M. C. A. and after the holidays a series of games will be played between these teams. Ephraim J. De Nio, janitor of Steele school, is an old expert association player and is coaching the boys on the fine points of the game.

RACING RESULTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Two long shots figured in the money getting today at Emeryville. James M took the lead when the Skipper blew up in the first event. In the fifth race, San Remo, at 50 to 1, won out by a scanty margin. In the Butterflies handicap, Lisaro ran a great race, getting off last, but coming home by a head. Results:

First race, five and one-half furlongs—James M won; Prince Nap, second; Bogohama, third. Time, 1:09 3-5.

Second race, five furlongs—Ingham won; Como, second; F. Nugent, third. Time, 1:02 1-5.

Third race, six and one-half furlongs—Lord Nelson won; David Boland, second; Sir Carter, third. Time, 1:22 1-5.

Fourth race, six furlongs—Butterflies handicap—Lisaro won; Shotgun, second; Woolman, third. Time, 1:23.

Fifth race, one mile, selling—San Remo won; Pickaway, second; Elle, third. Time, 1:45.

Sixth race, mile and an eighth, selling—Ray won; Leila Hill, second; W. B. Gates, third. Time, 1:58 3-5.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—First race, six furlongs—Revolt won; Betsy, second; Bologna, third. Time, 1:14½.

Second race, mile—Laureen won; Parvo, second; Neatness, third. Time, 1:43.

Third race, five furlongs—Dulcinea won; Bonraw, second; Big Store, third. Time, 1:01.

Fourth race, mile—Line of Life won; I Told You, second; Lady Wrousman, third. Time, 1:40.

Fifth race, mile and fifty yards—Colonel Bronston won; Prince China, second; Lillie B., third. Time, 1:46.

Sixth race, five furlongs—[illegible] Joan of Arc, second; Bung, third. Time, 1:03¾.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 21.—City Park results:

First race, five furlongs—Splon won; Excuse Me, second; Kaiserhof, third. Time, 1:06 4-5.

Second race, mile—Marvin Neal won; Lad Sarion, second; Creel, third. Time, 1:51 2-5.

Third race, steeplechase, full course—Creolin won; Profitable, second; Subador, third. Time, 4:22 3-5.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Savage won; Oak Grove, second; Kilts, third. Time, 1:00.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Glamor won; Missouri Lad, second; Debar, third. Time, 1:32.

Sixth race, mile—Gauze won; Lady Charade, second; Dan McKenna, third. Time, 1:48.

We are showing the finest collection of sideboards and buffets at lowest prices ever quoted in the city.

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128 E. Huerfano St.

KAUFMANN DEFEATS GARDNER

Californian Puts the Massachusetts Fighter Out of Commission in 14th Round—Slow Contest.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The fight tonight between Al Kaufmann of San Francisco and George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., which ended in the 14th round with a victory for Kaufmann, was a slow and amateurish heavyweight contest. Neither man showed any cleverness. Kaufmann had Gardner all but out in the second and again in the 11th round, but the latter's ability to cover up and hold on saved him from a knockout. Gardner appeared decidedly awkward in the ring, and his blows were slow and without effect when landed. In the early rounds he seemed to lack confidence and though he showed some aggressiveness in the later rounds he was very weary of the San Francisco man. Kaufmann had a strong punch but fought with very little vigor which characterized his efforts throughout the fight.

Kaufmann's weight was 185 pounds and Gardner's 12 pounds less. The blow which ended the fight was a stiff right to the jaw which rendered Gardner helpless and caused his seconds to throw a towel into the ring. Gardner was so weak during the last round that he fell to the mat twice from sheer weakness and took the count of nine each time.

KING GREETED AN ANARCHIST.

The young king of Spain is fast earning a reputation for that inestimable quality which is so pronounced in king Edward. The other day Alfonso dropped across an anarchist whom he recognized as having been implicated in the Calle Mayor outrage. He addressed the anarchist smilingly, much to the latter's undoing, and completely won him over by presenting him with a rose from the queen's bouquet.

Select a Fancy Waist Coat for Him Today

They make the most acceptable Christmas gift for a man you need do is select a pattern, and if there is any question about fit it can be exchanged easily. Stop at 108 E. Pike's Peak Ave. and see what we are offering.

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THE FOLTZ-HARDY STORE

The New Lot of Van Briggle

is as fine a collection as we have ever had. We have about 100 pieces from the new kiln out yesterday.

If you want to give something, the value of which is fully appreciated in Colorado Springs, just make it Van Briggle ware.

The new vases in the light colorings are so appropriate for gifts.

We have some exquisite things at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00, up to $5.00 each, and a few superb things up to $25.00 apiece.

Gift things like everything else are subject to fashion. This year is Van Briggle pottery year.

A Fountain Pen as a Gift

About the best gift for a man or a boy is a fountain pen. It is good for a girl, too.

We have 400 to choose from.

The Phoenix at $1.00, fully guaranteed.

The Wirt at $1.50 to $10.00. Guaranteed also.

The Waterman Ideal at $2.50 to $7.00.

All exchangeable or returnable if not satisfactory.

A safety clip, a bottle of ink and a Xmas box thrown in.

More Japanese Water Colors

We have a few more of those superb little Japanese water colors by Bunya and Matsumoto.

We had one dozen and they went in a few days.

These were picked up by a collector recently in Japan and we doubt if such charming bits of art, at a moderate price, have been shown in Colorado Springs in years.

They sell at $1.50, $1.75 and $4.00 each.

More Friendship

The last lot of 200 copies of Friendship for which we telegraphed a few days ago has been delayed in coming, owing to the holiday rush, but they will surely be here early today. Make sure of all you want by filing your order.

We have 25 copies coming in leather also, at $1.25 each.

Skelton Cards in Sets

We have just received a new lot of Skelton cards in sets.

What is choicer to send as a Christmas remembrance?

They are new this year.

The "Innes" Set

Many patrons are sending the set of "Innes" Wild West post cards for a Xmas gift this year.

It is the newest and the most characteristic thing of the kind to send away.

A set of 20 for 50 cents.

Books as Gifts

Always appropriate if rightly selected. We can help you with your selecting.

We have all the good titles in Xmas books from 25c to $3.00 each.

Whiting Xmas Stationery

Christmas is incomplete without a box of stationery.

We have the beautiful Whitney Xmas box stationery from 35 cents to $5.00 per box.

The Hunt Calendars

The most beautiful calendars in all the world are the Woodbury Hunt picture calendars.

We have about two dozen left from the 10 dozen received day before yesterday; 50 cents to $6.00 each.

The Frink Panels

You will make no mistake if you select some of the little Frink panels.

You know they are new this year and they are immensely popular, this is something in their favor.

Why not give things that are in vogue? Only 50 cents each.

"A Prayer"

Dr. Work's new prayer in motto form is a charming little gift this year. It will take its place with the best of Stevenson and Channing. It sells at 15 cents.

More "Colorado"

Fifty copies of Mrs. Price's great song, "Colorado," go on sale here today. Price 25 cents.

Fifty more, also, of the hand illuminated motto-song have just been received. It sells at 25 cents.

White Tissue

We have plenty of white tissue—the fine white kind.

Our Xmas price is 10 cents for 24 sheets.

Children's Books

We have a good assortment, even now, from 25c to $2.00 each.

THE SATURDAY RUSH

There will be a great rush for Christmas things today, as it is the last shopping day, save one, until Christmas. Of the two, choose today—you will find better things.

If possible, shop in the morning.

We solicit a share of your trade today.

FOLTZ & HARDY

6 S. Tejon St.

LABOR TROUBLE AT GOLDFIELD

Private Advices Give Details of Disagreement Between Mine Owners and W. F. of M.

Private advices received by a prominent mining man of this city are to the effect that practically every mine in Goldfield, Nev., is shut down at present on account of the men walking out pursuant to the order of the Western Federation of Miners, and that by this time it is very likely that every smelter and mill in the district has been closed down by the strike. The dispatches state, however, that both operators and men are hopeful that the difficulty will soon be settled before any material loss is inflicted. It is said that the strike is purely local to Goldfield and [illegible] other mining camps in the state.

On Wednesday, the Federation threatened to call a strike unless the mine owners and lessees consented to give to all men employed a flat wage of $5 for eight hours labor, and furnish them with gum boots and water-proof garments in cases where the mines were wet. Another source of friction is said to be the demand by the operators that changing rooms be placed in the high-grade mines. These are rooms where the miners must change their clothing when coming off shift, thus preventing theft of high-grade ore. The operators base their refusal on the claim that a minimum scale of $5 per day for all classes of labor is unreasonable and unjust.

Among the mines which are closed down are the Mohawk, Florence, Jumbo, Red Top, Combination and others.

Personal Mention

Edward Wilcox and W. J. Brady have gone to Chicago for the holidays.

Mrs. Melvin Nevitt of this city will spend Christmas in Denver with her brother.

Professor and Mrs. Maurice Hall of Canon City will spend the holidays in this city.

Joseph J. Daly of the Cheyenne, Wyo. Daily Tribune is the guest of Colorado Springs friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Jones and son, Edward, are spending the holidays at Lafayette, Colo.

J. M. Curtis and Walter L. Winkler returned yesterday from a short visit to Grand Junction.

Mrs. J. B. Wheeler of Manitou is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Cable of Rock Island, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Garth left yesterday for Clinton, Mo., where they will spend Christmas with Dr. Garth's parents.

W. F. Owen and family left last night for Kansas City and St. Louis, where they will visit relatives over the holidays.

Mrs. L. L. Marble, 301 East Las Vegas street, intends spending Christmas week with her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Brown, in Denver.

Mrs. C. F. Yeager and sister, Miss Opal Corn, have returned from Coronado Beach, Cal., and after spending the holidays in Colorado Springs will visit their parents in Texas.

The Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Simonson left last night for Pueblo where Mr. Simonson will assume the duties of pastor of the Mesa Presbyterian church. He recently resigned as pastor of the Second Presbyterian church in this city.

D. D. Strickler will spend the holidays at his home in Quincy, Ill. After the first of the year Mr. and Mrs. Strickler will reside in this city. Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Rice of this city will visit Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Strickler at Quincy, during the holidays.

RUEF'S ATTORNEYS FOILED

Are Refused, by Judge Dunne, to Question Witnesses.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Superior Judge Dunne today refused to allow the attorneys for Abraham Ruef to question witnesses as to the testimony they gave before the grand jury.

As no record of the grand jury proceedings was kept, the attorneys for Ruef resolved to bring the French restaurant keepers and others into the proceedings to set aside the indictments and wrest the desired information from them on the stand. The attempt failed.

Heney at once went straight to the point when Edward J. Marchand, one of the witnesses before the grand jury, was placed on the stand. The first question he asked Marchand—whether he knew William J. Burns—was objected to by Prosecutor Heney and the court upheld the objection. Immediately Ach was on his feet with the statement that he was prepared to show duress and intimidation of witnesses before the grand jury, and that he wanted to expose the treatment to which witnesses had been subjected both by the district attorney and the grand jurors. He started to cite authorities in support of his point, but Judge Dunne refused to hear them.

Similar attempts to question H. H. Young and Harry Hutton, former police commissioners, as to their testimony before the grand jury, were stopped by the court.

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[illegible]NG MINERS WILL WIN

[illegible] Trouble Will Probably Soon Be Settled.

[illegible]ELD, Nev., Dec. 21.—The [illegible] of the miners' strike for $5 [illegible]ges has passed without dis[illegible] the general prediction is that [illegible] will soon be settled by the [illegible] agreeing to the demands [illegible]rs.

[illegible] men are about the streets, [illegible]ry side the controversy is [illegible] tones of moderation. The [illegible] involved declare that the [illegible] of living and commodities [illegible] them to take this action. [illegible] of the standard mines are [illegible] the quartz mills have tem[illegible] ended working. Nearly all of the rich leases, some of which were not working yesterday, have resumed operations under the scale. Strenuous efforts are being put forth by business men to bring about an amicable agreement, as it is feared that should the dispute be prolonged it might end in a general sympathetic strike. The mines are in no danger of being flooded, as the pumps are working.

If you have not selected your Xmas gift, let us suggest that you are losing the choice of selections. We are daily setting aside articles for parties.

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Success is the Watchword

New York Doctors' Patients Offer Praise and Give Experience.

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The New York Doctors are SPECIALISTS in CHRONIC DISEASES of MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN and are more thoroughly equipped to treat these diseases than any other staff of specialists in this vicinity.

Mrs. Chris. Brown, 1210 Grant avenue. Says: "Six months ago I was down in bed with NERVOUS PROSTRATION and a complication of troubles. I was so weak that I could not even whisper loud enough to be heard two feet from my lips. I had been going down hill for two years, and had a bad cough; everyone thought I had consumption. Now I am strong and well and can do housework for a family of five. My cough is all gone and I have gained fifteen pounds in weight."

Mrs. R. H. Thompson, 121 South Corona. Says: "New York Doctors have treated me for two months for NERVOUS PROSTRATION and general nervous debility. Four different friends of mine who had been cured by these doctors advised me to consult them and I have never been sorry that I took their advice. While under their care I observed dozens of people taking treatment there and every one improved rapidly."

Mr. F. E. Wight, 1818 Midland avenue. Says: "When I consulted New York Doctors three months ago I certainly was a sick man. Several years ago I had typhoid fever and ever since have been in delicate health and unable to do any work, my lower limbs and lower bowels were nearly paralyzed. Now I feel like a new man. Eat and sleep well and can do as hard a day's work as any man and am working hard every day. They were equally successful with other members of my family. Any evening after 6 o'clock I will be pleased to talk to anyone about these doctors."

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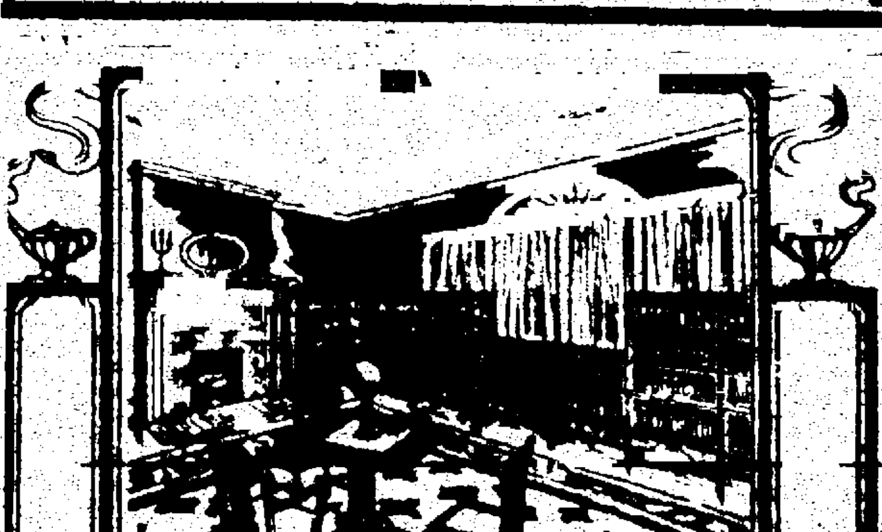

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1906.

AT GOLDFIELD.

IT APPEARS that the clash has come at Goldfield. We knew it would have to come, but did not expect it so soon. So much of the work was being done on short-time leases that we supposed the lessees would put up with everything on the part of the union rather than quit work. We are not informed yet whether work has been stopped on the leases, but the big Mohawk and several other mines are shut down.

The case seems to be quite a simple one—it is solely a question of "high grading." One of the cardinal tenets of the Western Federation is that all wealth belongs to the producers thereof—the said producers, in case of mining, being the men who belong to the union. It follows that whenever a particularly rich vein is uncovered, the miner takes off all he can carry of the ore for his own use and behoof. According to his creed, he is doing a favor to the nominal owner of the mine to let him have the ordinary grade of ore. This is not meant ironically, either—plenty of those men actually have come to believe that the real owners of a mine are the men who work in it, and that what they produce rightfully belongs to them, and what they allow to go to the company is only on sufferance. They have been taught this doctrine persistently, and when a man wants to believe a thing, it is not very hard, as a rule, to persuade him of its truth.

The miners in the Mohawk, and perhaps in other mines, have been exercising this inalienable prerogative of members of the Western Federation. One shipment of $100,000 has been spotted and stopped, and one can only guess how much more has been appropriated. While the amount was comparatively small, the companies said nothing about it, because they were making money fast, and did not want trouble; but when it came to thousands of dollars, they determined on the establishment of "change rooms"—rooms where the men change their clothes on going into and coming out of the mine. The union objects to these change rooms, maintaining that it is degrading to be forced to change under these conditions, and a slur on the character of any man of whom it is required. So there is a deadlock, and the men have been called out by the Federation leaders.

We do not suppose there is any possibility that the owners will try to work their mines with non-union labor. In the first place, they probably could not get it; for labor is exceedingly scarce now, everywhere in this country, and most men would rather get three dollars a day in peace than five dollars a day and run the risk of being blown up or shot every hour of the day and night. Of course, if the mine-owners hold out long enough, and can protect their plants from destruction, they will win in the end, for the men will not be able to support themselves very long. But the Governor of Nevada may as well make up his mind right now that the chances favor his participation in the matter before long. When the relief money begins to run out, and the men begin to get ugly, something will be blown up, and what amounts to a state of civil war will begin. If not, then all the experience of the past with the Western Federation is a faulty guide.

THOSE DISMISSED COMPANIES.

THE PRESIDENT'S message on the troops recently dismissed from the service after shooting up Brownsville is a "corker." Together with the reports of Major Blocksom, Colonel Lovering and General Garlington, it puts before us evidence which can lead to only one conclusion—that the dismissal of the men was absolutely necessary. The evidence shows that some ten or a dozen of the soldiers deliberately got their guns one night last August, and went to shooting up the town. They killed one man, badly wounded several others, and shot into windows where women and children were, evidently with the intention of killing or wounding some of them. The fort is right in town, and they could have done the whole thing in ten minutes. In fact, they were back in quarters before their officers knew what was going on.

Every effort was made to find out the guilty parties. The only adequate punishment for those directly concerned in such an affair is death. Perhaps for that reason, not a man of the three companies would give any information that might lead to the discovery of the active culprits. It was a case in which something had to be done—a failure to do anything on account of a conspiracy of silence would undermine all discipline, and be fatal to the morale of our Army. The punishment meted out seems to the President to be comparatively mild, and as we read his message and the accompanying documents, we incline to agree with him.

One thing ought to be certain—that all question of race or locality be eliminated from further discussion of the subject. We have said before that the colored people who were making a race question of this were making a grave mistake—now they must see it plainly. As to locality, the President points out that one of the officers whose reports he submits is a Southerner, another a Yankee, and the third an Ohioan; but adds that the birthplace of the reporting officer has of course nothing to do with the facts. It does show, however, that no local prejudice influenced the making of the investigation and reports.

A TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT.

THERE was a mass meeting in Denver Wednesday night which was rather a remarkable gathering. It was called by all the commercial bodies of the city, to protest against the conduct of the Rocky Mountain News. We have already alluded to the editorial which appeared in the News on Monday. It is no wonder it excited resentment among the men who are doing business in Denver and trying to build up the city. These men have it in their power to stop the News, and they know it; but hitherto they have never had the courage to do it. All that is necessary is for them to stop advertising in the columns and giving it money for subscriptions. As we recollect it, they did get up a boycott on it once; but first one and then another broke the agreement, and as soon as two or three advertised, the rest thought they had to, so it amounted to nothing in the end.

It is altogether probable that the present indignation will not amount to anything, either. Wednesday night they "resolutioned" to be sure, but at the request of a Patterson representative, they appointed a committee to wait on Patterson when he comes home at Christmas, and talk it over with him. Of what use is that? Suppose he promises to be good; they know him well enough to know that as soon as he gets their advertising contracts signed up for next year, he will break loose again. It is his nature to—probably he can't help it. Compromise with such a man is impossible, and any attempt at it unprofitable.

It is a constant wonder to people of other cities why Denver maintains such a paper as the News. Everybody agrees that it is a disgrace to the city and the state; everybody condemns it; and yet thousands of the same people take it into their houses, where their children can read every day its lurid accounts of crime, and its vile slander and abuse of all public men and measures which do not meet with Patterson's approval. It really looks to an outsider as if the people of Denver like this sort of newspaper.

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Senator Foraker has raised a new point in regard to the dismissal of the colored troops—that is, a point that has not been much discussed in the papers, and which has nothing to do with the guilt or innocence of the men. It is that the President exceeded the executive authority in ordering the dismissal. Only Congress, he says, can make regulations for the Army, and Congress has provided a court-martial procedure for cases like that, and has never conferred upon the President the power of summary dismissal. He is like the lawyer who told the man in prison, "Why, they can't put you in jail!" "But I am in jail," said the man. The troops are dismissed, and we don't see how Mr. Foraker is going to get them reinstated. But he is an able man, and very persistent, and he will be able to make a lot of trouble for the President this winter.

The car shortage, so-called, is due, we believe, as much to inadequate track facilities as to scarcity of cars. A single-track road simply can't handle the business that is now offered on some of the western lines. They haven't enough switches, even, for trains to pass comfortably and without long waits. Most of the old switches are laid with such light rails that they can't run the new freight engines on them, so it is the passenger trains that have to take the sidetrack when they come together, and great delays are caused. All the roads ought to put in new and heavier switches, and more of them, and if business continues at the present marvelous rate, they will have to double track before long.

We have said in these columns that we did not believe the Supreme Court would seriously consider the extreme Kansas contention in the water case; but we did not expect to see the leading counsel for Kansas back completely down, and get into practically the same position as Attorney General Campbell of counsel for the United States. That is what Judge Smith did in his closing argument Thursday.

Of course Patterson says he will be good—till he gets new contracts signed up. As for Livergnash, it appears to be "deportation" for him. That is a good riddance, anyhow. He was certainly the most offensive mud-slinker that ever broke into this state.

Now Mr. Harriman has got a touch of executive order. The President has informed him that it is up to him to fix that break in the Colorado River, and do it quick, too. Those executive orders are handy sometimes.

Colorado Comment

CHOOSE AGAIN.

From the Telluride Journal.

The Colorado editor of Ridgway's Weekly tells its readers that there are twenty men in Colorado who can beat Guggenheim for United States senator. Trot 'em out and let the best man win. Guggenheim won't do at all.

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TELEGRAPH RATES.

From the Glenwood Post.

Down in Denver the papers are kicking because the telegraph and express companies put the state capital in the jay town list and charge a ten-cent delivery fee beyond certain lines which are well in the city. And this reminds us that Glenwood is being bled by the Western Union for a 40-cent telegram rate between here and Denver, while Aspen has for many years enjoyed a 25-cent rate. The town council some time ago appointed a committee to investigate this matter and we should like to inquire if the committee met with any encouragement. It's about time for the Western Union to come within hailing distance of the people.

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EASTERN COLORADO.

From the Akron Pioneer Press.

All indications point to an unprecedented rush to eastern Colorado next season. The ideal crop conditions, the activity of the real estate men in advertising the country and pushing their sales are factors that cannot be overlooked in the face of what has been done here in the past three years in the way of producing crops. When the crops raised here on cheap lands and where low taxes prevail are compared with the high priced lands and high taxes of the east it is no wonder that thousands of people are looking in this direction for homes for themselves or their grown children. The hundreds of quarter sections that changed hands this year and the new homes that dot Washington county are but the forerunner of what will follow next spring and summer. All parts of the country, in fact eastern Colorado, will feel the tide of immigration that is sure to come to us. Surveyors are now in this county establishing the route for the Omaha-Denver Short Line railroad, the completion of which will mean the opening of hundreds of new homes in the country south of us, and the building of several thriving towns, all of which will go far in placing Washington county in line for development of no small dimensions. Let us all smile and push and help along the good work of development.

AN EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY CONSTITUTION.

sage:

President Roosevelt, for whom there is a right and wrong in everything, and who can hardly conceive of a proposition having more than two sides to it, is a preacher by necessity. But if on its philosophical side his message has an almost automatic familiarity of manner, its matter, the program outlined, and the suggestions embodied in it were for the most part as novel as they were striking.

We refer less to any specific proposal, though his advocacy of an inheritance tax marks the beginning of a revolution in the social finance of the United States, than to the general tone of the message. Never before has a president so strongly emphasized the inadequacies of an eighteenth-century constitution in the face of twentieth-century conditions, and his insistence is all the more significant for being a measure oblique and unconscious—an inference from his main thesis rather than the thesis itself touched upon and recognized, but now here elaborated.

From the Washington Star.

We should not be too much impressed by the phrase, "an eighteenth-century constitution." To be sure, it gives the impression of something archaic which should give place to something up to date—as if one might ask, why hold on to a chart when the conditions which suggested it have long since all disappeared, and the remedy has wrought all that [illegible] growing out of the liberties then secured, and why not take them up and deal with them at the beginning of the twentieth century as courageously as the fathers did those of the closing quarter of the eighteenth century?

That might be done without any impairment of the spirit of the original performance. The men who wrought for the state, both in England and America, in the latter half of the eighteenth century were of a large intellectual mold, and the foremost of them exchanged applause across the Atlantic. Chatham and Burke admired their American kinsmen greatly, and even the men who opposed the work of the revolutionary fathers praised the capacity they exhibited for government and debate. Washington, and Hamilton, and Adams, and Jefferson, and Franklin, and men of that stamp, were rated at a high figure in England.

The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Look how long and how well the spirit and the performances of those men have lasted. In England the best spirit, the imperial spirit, is Chatham's, descended to this day. He was the biggest of all the Big Englanders, and his country was respected all around the round earth while he shaped her policies. As for what was done on this side the water in giving to the world a new nation, and one fashioned after the ideas of its own designers, it is still the wonder of men, and still performs functions encouraging to men of all climes and conditions.

The spirit of our "eighteenth-century constitution" is for all centuries. It could not be changed except for the worse. But this is not to say that abuses have not grown up under it, and at this day need correction. As a matter of fact, they testify to its strength, as the present inequalities of the Dingley law testify to the original strength and wisdom of that enactment. In the one case as in the other, revision, not abolition, is the need of the times—in many particulars the best times the country has ever known.

Press Opinions

WARNING.

From the Kansas City Times.

A man had his clothes stolen Saturday while swimming in the Y. M. C. A. pool. Beware of all pollywogs.

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POPULAR LITERATURE.

From the Troy Record.

The most popular books of the season are neglected when one of President Roosevelt's messages is distributed among the people.

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PROTECTION FOR STATE SOLONS.

From the Holton (Kas.) Signal.

The lobbyist should be required to wear two numbers, one in front and one behind, so that he can neither approach nor back up on the unsuspecting legislator. The way to reform is to reform.

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ENFORCING THE CHILD LABOR LAW.

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

The early stages of the enforcement of child labor laws are always difficult and in Chicago the state inspectors have had especial difficulty in the past because of the character of the justice courts in which they brought their proceedings. Offenders were usually dismissed on payment of costs, and, inasmuch as the labor involved in preparing cases was out of all proportion to the penalties inflicted, the results were not what they should have been.

Already there are signs that the new Municipal Court will bring about a great improvement. Chief Justice Olson has had a consultation with Chief Inspector Davis and has agreed that the farce of the old trials should not be permitted in the future. Offenders will be punished in the way the law contemplates, and if they are persistent offenders they will be punished severely enough to compel their reform.

No doubt the new court will deal similarly with the violators of other laws and ordinances and will thereby reduce materially the proportion of ineffective statutes in our codes. The benefits the city will secure in this way from the court is beyond estimation. It may well be that not a day will go by for months or even years to come when Chicago will not have some new cause for offering thanks to the men who worked for the establishment of the court and to those who have the privilege of administering it on a high level.

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ANOMALIES OF PROSPERITY.

From the Chicago Chronicle.

National prosperity continues to show that it entails certain penalties as well as pleasures. The very force of the swelling tide tends to react upon itself.

Thus business activity is so great that money commands high prices. It is not only the stock gamblers who suffer. Legitimate enterprises are halted by the difficulty of financing them. It is well known that the published rates for money do not by any means tell the story. Money, like any other commodity, is worth what it will bring and neither lender nor borrower is likely to take the public into confidence respecting transactions far above the nominal rate.

The scarcity of money is one disagreeable phase of prosperity; the scarcity of labor is another. Here, too, great enterprises are hampered and delayed by the circumstances that men are not to be had to do the manual labor. They can not be secured even by offering extravagantly high wages. There are simply not enough men in the country to do the work of the country. The tide reacts upon itself again.

Railroads are so crowded with business that they can neither furnish more cars nor handle those that they have. Freight yards are congested. Sidetracks are crowded with cars. Western farmers complain that though their harvest has been bountiful it can not be got to market. On the other hand, communities are suffering from the lack of fuel, which the railroads declare themselves unable to transport. Traffic has grown faster than the facilities for taking care of it. The result is an congested condition out of which it is difficult to see a way.

Evidently we are, in the respects mentioned, having too much of a good thing, yet, as is frequently pointed out, there are classes of people in the country who so far from sharing in the general prosperity are positively disadvantaged by it. The great body of salaried people, the middle class between the wealthy and the unionized workers, has enjoyed no increase of income and is paying 30 per cent more for the necessaries of life than before the "boom" began.

These are anomalous conditions. They present a situation calculated to excite the interest and perhaps the apprehension of thoughtful people. How much further can business inflation—for that is what it amounts to—proceed without danger and how much longer will a great and influential body of the population calmly contemplate a prosperity in which they not only do not share, but which actually works to their injury?

The case is one which exacts the attention of statesmen and economists alike.

THE OLD PROBLEM.

'Twas in the year two thousand.
No ills were left to vex;
Man's wit and skill had mastered
All problems that perplex.

The ether had been conquered
And folks flew to and fro,
Nor did they find it trouble
Beneath the sea to go.

There was no servant question
To make one curse his stars;
And it had been discovered
If there was life on Mars.

But still the favored mortals,
When came December days,
With groans were heard to mumble
This most insistent phrase:

"What under the blue canopy of heaven shall I give to Tom, Dick, Harry, Aunt Florence, Uncle Ebenezer, the Smiths, [illegible] Joe, the janitor, May, Helen, Nell, the Greens, Joneses, Robinsons, Browns and the cop on the beat?"

—McLandburgh Wilson in the N. Y. Sun.

FOR A NATIONAL SANTA CLAUS.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A wealthy woman of New York has requested the postmaster of that city to turn over to her all letters addressed to Santa Claus, so that she may be able to fill the orders mailed by the children.

She is desirous that not a single child shall be disappointed. She told the postmaster that, no matter whether the little ones wrote to Santa Claus for dolls, muffs, bicycles or toy steam engines, she would see that all wishes were gratified. Later, and after the privilege she sought was refused, the assistant postmaster informed the reporters that if her name were mentioned the public would at once recognize her to be a woman who is entirely able to carry out her beautiful idea.

But she cannot carry out her beautiful idea because the rules of the postoffice department will not permit of it. These rules are neither made to be broken nor to be stretched. Nobody seems to have any power to use discretion with regard to them.

When a child writes a letter to Santa Claus and Santa Claus does not call for it, and the postmaster and his assistants are very well aware that it is impossible for Santa Claus to call for it, it remains in the postoffice the regulation time, when it is sent to the dead letter office, just as if everybody in and around the postoffice department did not know that the failure of the writer to get an answer only contributes to the disillusionment which is going on too fast already, and which is taking too much of the sweetness out of childhood.

It would be nonsensical and unfair to blame the postal authorities, however. The assistant postmaster at New York makes the case clear:

"It was a generous impulse which prompted this offer," Mr. Morgan said, "but there is no way in which the postoffice department could comply with the request. If we gave the letters to her someone else might, with equal right, demand them. In fact, this same offer has been made before and declined.

"There is no one who can show that he or she is authorized. Therefore, such communications have to go to the dead letter office and be destroyed. If they should contain anything of value they would be returned to the writers, but I have never heard of anybody sending Santa Claus anything for Christmas."

But would it not be a good idea if this government, which is so far in advance of other governments in every particular, should provide a legal Santa Claus, one who could demand all the letters and distribute them among generous child lovers who would see that everything asked for was provided?

It may appear a trifle sentimental, and in reality it is, but the great majority of us would prefer to be sentimental in our treatment of the children of the country, especially around Christmas time. Let us have a national Santa Claus.

SANITY IN SPELLING.

From the New York Tribune.

The delusion of some enthusiasts that a presidential order was forthwith to transform the spelling of the English language will now, we trust, be dismissed. We may be sure that the president himself never cherished it. Whatever his personal preferences between alternative forms of orthography, he had no thought of posing as the final arbiter, but made it quite plain that his order concerning the spelling of public documents was merely tentative and would be recalled if it did not meet with general approval. It was a generous giving of opportunity to the "simplified spelling" proposals for self-justification, and the most was made of it by the propagandists of that alleged reform. But nothing is more obvious that the failure of their efforts, and to nobody is that failure probably more obvious that to the president himself. Wherefore, with excellent sense and in entire good temper, he withdraws the order and thus ends the incident.

This outcome of a three months' wonder affords occasion for thought concerning the desirability of sanity rather than merely what some imagine to be simplicity in our treatment of the vernacular. It would be "simple," no doubt to recast the spelling—and also the etymology and syntax—of the language by presidential order or by act of congress; but it would not be sane, because language is pre-eminently a thing of popular usage and of popular growth and modification, and the changes which occur in it are such as are gradually effected by usage and common consent. It is the part of wisdom and sanity for the president and congress to recognize this and to make the spelling of public prints conform with that prescribed by the standard dictionaries—to wit, with the general usage of the educated masses of the nation. It is "simple" enough to say that "through" should be spelled "thru," but it is not sane, and it is especially not sane according to the principles professed by the advocates of that change themselves, because the combination of letters in "thru" does not, and cannot without gross perversion, represent the sounds expressed by "through."

Nor is the general logic of the propagandists of the "List of Three Hundred Words" as sane as it is ostensibly simple. About one-half of those words are spelled in the "simplified" list precisely as they have come to be all but universally spelled as a result of years of gradual progress through popular usage. Many others, on the contrary, are spelled strangely and arbitrarily, as not one man in a thousand has hitherto thought of spelling them. Upon the former class the "simplified spellers" dwell fondly and confidentially for justification of their whole propaganda. Because people in the course of years have come to write "era" instead of "aera," therefore they should instantly begin writing "thru" instead of "through." Because so many changes have been effected through gradual processes, therefore so many more should be effected abruptly by arbitrary decree. Such arguing may be simple, but it is the simplicity of folly and not of wisdom that it possesses. The conclusion which sanity would deduce from the indisputable premises is the exact recerse of that which the reformers affect to find—namely, that the same processes of intelligent popular selection and usage which have been so active, so fruitful and so profitable hitherto for the improvement of the language shall be permitted to continue without any adventitious stimulation or arbitrary forcing.

AN ENGLISH JOKE.

Punch.

A discussion has been taking place in the columns of a contemporary as to who is the oldest oddfellow. It would, we fancy, be still more difficult to decide who is the oldest old fellow.

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BUYS VALUABLE LAND

KINSMAN TO DEVELOP BIG VEIN OF COAL.

Property Is Between Colorado City and Manitou—May Stimulate Other Enterprises.

One of the most important deals consummated in this city for some time was the purchase yesterday of 12 acres of land, said to contain a huge lignite coal vein, six feet in depth, between Colorado City and Manitou in Black canon, by Clem Kinsman. The consideration is not give but it is understood that the property is valued at about $7,000. Mr. Kinsman purchased the property from G. H. Gilfillan and it is probable that this purchase will add impetus to the lime and brick industries in the vicinity of Colorado City.

This property lies close to some of the land secured by William M. Morris, who has been experimenting with the clays in this vicinity for several months, and who is now trying to interest Pittsburg capitalists in his proposition. In addition to the 100 acres which he leased several weeks ago, Mr. Morris secured an option a few days ago on 25 acres adjoining Mr. Kinsman's purchase. This gives him a total of 125 acres, containing the clay and lime beds and materials for cement which he is exploiting. In case he is successful in forming his company, arrangements will probably be made with Mr. Kinsman, whereby he will use the coal to generate gas for the burning of brick, terra cotta, etc.

About two years ago, this coal vein was worked secretly for a few months by "Beech" Davis. Operations were stopped by the water which filled the shaft, and since that time nothing has been done toward developing the property. It is not generally known that the coal beds which crop out northeast of Colorado Springs extend so far in toward the foothills. Mr. Kinsman is reticent concerning his plans for developing the property.

MANITOU UP IN ARMS

WANTS ITS PRESENT MAIL SERVICE CONTINUED.

Postmaster Grafton, Leddy and Others Protest Against Proposed Street Car Mail Service.

Certain Manitou residents are up in arms against the proposed change in mail service between Colorado Springs and Colorado City and Manitou which provides for the carrying of the mails between the three places on the street cars instead of on the trains, as at present, according to M. A. Leddy, of Manitou, formerly state senator. Postmaster H. H. Grafton, of Manitou, is also opposed to the scheme and says he does not believe the change will be made.

The principal objections advanced by Mr. Leddy and Postmaster Grafton are that if the mails are carried to Manitou from this city by the street cars, Manitou, as well as Colorado City, will only have four mails each way per day, according to the present plans, whereas at present they have seven mails. It is said that this would greatly inconvenience the residents of Manitou, especially during the tourist season. Then again, according to Mr. Grafton, the postmaster would be expected to meet the cars carrying mail, and take the mail to the office and then bring the mail from the office to the car. This would often necessitate dragging the mail bags through the muddy streets in rainy weather, and would be very inconvenient for the postoffice force. Mr. Grafton also said that he had not been advised of any proposed change by any government postoffice inspector or official and that he did not believe there was any foundation for the rumor.

The agitation was started, Mr. Leddy said, by Postmaster John F. Morgan of Colorado City, who wished to have the mail for Colorado City brought directly from the train at Colorado Springs to the Colorado City postoffice instead of having it go through the postoffice at Colorado Springs and then be transferred to the trains running through Colorado City. This gave foundation for the plan of having the street cars carry the mails. At present, it is said, that the total cost per year of having seven mails per day delivered to Manitou by railway service, is only $350. According to Mr. Leddy, this is much cheaper than service by the street car system can be obtained.

SENT TO REFORM SCHOOL

Four Boys Convicted of Stealing Valuable Copper Wire.

Ernest Collins, colored, and Fay Buckles, Frank Clark and Morbert Becquet, convicted in the juvenile court yesterday of stealing copper wire belonging to the Colorado Telephone company, were sentenced by Judge Robert Kerr to the Golden Industrial school. Collins, the leader of the gang, is 19 years old, the others ranging in age from 14 to 16 years.

The boys have committed a series of thefts in this city, according to the police, the gang being broken up by Detectives Shultz and Rowan.

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IOWA GLEE CLUB TONIGHT

Second Number of Y. M. C. A. Star Lecture Course.

The Iowa College Glee club, a musical organization composed of twenty male singers, under the leadership of D. L. Smith, will appear at the Opera house this evening as the second number of the Y. M. C. A. Star Lecture and Concert course. The sale of tickets has been great and it is expected that the glee club will be greeted by a full house. A number of former residents of Iowa, who are now in Colorado Springs, have arranged to attend the concert in a body.

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Final limit on holiday tickets for students and teachers on certificates from faculty or members of board will be extended to Jan. 8th when reading via Rio Grande.

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Ask your grocer for some of those sweet Arizona oranges.

IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

MRS. CHEATHAM RELEASED ON SMALL BOND.

Said to Be in Serious Condition. Woman Is Known as "Cassie Chadwick of the West."

After nine months' confinement in a San Antonio, Tex., jail, Mrs. Parlee Cheatham, the "Cassie Chadwick of the West," wanted in this city on a charge of embezzlement, was yesterday released on a small bond, according to advices received here last night. The defendant, who has battled for freedom in the Texas courts since her arrest last March, taking the case up to the supreme court of that state, is dangerously ill, it is said, and may never be brought to trial.

David McGee, of this city, formerly sheriff at San Antonio, charges Mrs. Cheatham with defrauding him out of nearly $6,000 in a real estate deal. Mrs. Cheatham was arrested at San Antonio last March. Undersheriff George Daytop left for the Texas city shortly afterward, remaining there for several weeks in an effort to have his requisition papers honored. Under ordinary circumstances, a prisoner charged with embezzlement is not admitted to bail under the Texas statutes, and although Mrs. Cheatham successfully resisted the efforts of the Colorado authorities to bring her back to this state, she was refused bail pending final hearing on her case by the Texas supreme court.

Her attorney, H. S. Crawford, on December 3, applied for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the prisoner was losing her reason through continued imprisonment. This was the first plea of the kind ever advanced for a writ of habeas corpus in the Texas courts. Pending the hearing of the writ, Mrs. Cheatham developed symptoms of dangerous illness, being released on nominal bail yesterday morning.

McGee, the prosecuting witness against Mrs. Cheatham, is the Texas sheriff who hung "Black Jack," the notorious murderer, several years ago.

SIXTY-FIVE TICKETS ISSUED

Salvation Army Expects to Give Away Twice This Number of Christmas Baskets.

Tickets for free Christmas baskets of food and clothing were yesterday issued to 65 poor families, and this is hardly one-half of the list of people who will be given Christmas baskets by the Salvation Army. Ensign Edgell and his comrades are doing everything in their power to make Christmas mean more to the poor and needy of Colorado Springs this year than ever before. From early Christmas morning until late at night, the Salvation Army workers will be found at headquarters, 131½ South Cascade avenue, giving baskets filled with food to those who hold tickets for them. On the following evening, December 26, a Christmas tree will be placed in the barracks and all the poor and needy children of the city will be invited to the festivities. Many a childish heart will be gladdened by useful presents and toys, which the Salvation Army will provide for them.

Toys and other presents will cover the tree and every child attending will be given something.

It is necessary that needy persons desiring Christmas baskets should apply at headquarters not later than to day and receive their tickets. The tickets are free.

This year, 150 families have already been placed on the list of the poor and needy at Salvation Army headquarters. This is an increase over last year's list. Supplies are coming in at headquarters but there is still need for more donations, especially of canned goods. Money is always acceptable. The Christmas kettles are bringing good returns.

WILL ENLARGE STORE

Woestman Assumes Full Control of Keystone Company.

Formal transfer of the stock of the Keystone Mercantile company from Fred J. Plimpton to Edward Woestman has been made. The sale of Mr. Plimpton's interest in the store for approximately $11,000 was practically closed several weeks ago.

Mr. Woestman intends to enlarge the store, and will have personal charge. He will install large lines of the best fancy and staple groceries the market affords.

POSTOFFICE A BUSY PLACE

Great Rush Is Expected Today and Tomorrow.

Business at the Colorado Springs postoffice yesterday exceeded that of any day since the present holiday season opened, and it is expected that the receipts for today and Monday will be greater than for any two days during the present year. The sale of stamps has been exceedingly heavy and it is estimated that $3,000 worth of stamps alone will be sold today and Monday.

Each of the local express companies is putting on extra men and business is growing heavier each day.

TO HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

Only two days more in which to do your holiday shopping. If you have not found anything that seems suitable for a present, drop into the B. G. Robbins Clothing Co. and look over their large stock. You will find presents suitable for any member of the family and they are serviceable, too. Something that the receiver can wear every day with comfort and appreciation.

For the men you can procure anything from an overcoat down to a pair of shoes; for the ladies and children a nice line of holiday slippers, Boros shoes, handkerchiefs, mufflers, etc. If you have not already made a purchase at this large store do it today and take advantage of their Christmas sale. You will be sure of getting good values for your money as well as prompt and courteous service.

The following list of useful and appropriate

Holiday Gifts

will be a help to those who have not finished their Christmas buying. Most of these lines show good assortments notwithstanding the immense business to date. Qualities and styles are, of course, right up to the Wilbur high standard.

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs		5c to 6.50
Belts of all Kinds		25c to 10.00
Bags of all Kinds		50c to 32.50
Combs — Hair Ornaments		25c to 10.00
Gloves, Kid and Fabric		25c to 4.50
Hosiery,	Silk, Lisle, Wool, Cotton	10c to 7.50
Neckwear		10c to 10.00
Umbrellas	for Women and Men	98c to 6.00
Perfumes,	Roger & Gallet, Hadnutt's	Special Prices
Ribbons	Every Kind, Every Width	1c to 1.00
Sweaters all colors & sizes		1.50 to 6.50
Waists	Silk, Linen, Cotton	1.00 to 25.00
Fancy Boxes		5c to 50c

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DOLLS, WARDROBES AND TRUNKS—An attractive and practical gift for any child. Dolls' trunks in five distinctly different styles and sizes neatly made, with lock and key; each trunk contains a handsome doll with complete wardrobe. These outfits are entirely new this season and will appeal to children of all ages. The outfits complete have sold until now at 35c, 75c, $1.50, $2.25 and $3.75. Saturday on sale at 1-3 off.

Helpful Gift Suggestions

CHILDREN'S KID GLOVES, 79c—One lot of children's tan, brown and red "Reynier" glace kid gloves with two clasps, sizes 4½ to 5¾ only; our regular $1.00 quality on sale Saturday at **79c** a pair.

FANCY ROBE BLANKETS—A line of the handsomest things in fancy tan, brown, red, green; blue and purple blankets with scroll and floral designs—just the thing for a sensible Xmas gift—suitable for bath robes, bed covers, smoking jackets, etc. A special sale for Saturday shoppers, as follows:
Robe Blankets that were $2.50, now... **$1.95**
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BOXED RUCHINGS, 50c—Another lot of pretty neck ruchings, six lengths put up in a fancy decorated box all ready for gift giving, nothing more acceptable to any young or old lady; special, per box... **50c**

HOLIDAY RIBBONS—The demand for holiday ribbons this season has far exceeded our expectations, and until now it has been a problem for us to supply our patrons but a special shipment of plain and fancy ribbons has just come in and we are in an excellent position to meet all requirements come to HIBBARD'S for your holiday ribbons—there are some extra special values offered for Saturday's selling.

NEW BABY RIBBONS 1c YD.—A complete line of red and all the most popular colors in satin baby ribbon for tying packages and parcels—a new lot just received by express—over 2,500 yds. at **1c** per yard.

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WOMEN'S HOSIERY—Women's black, all-over lace and lace boot hosiery, made of domestic and imported silk lisle, very suitable to give as an Xmas or holiday gift, special values at, pair... **75c**

WOMEN'S HOSIERY—Women's finest quality plain and silk embroidered all silk hosiery, an excellent assortment of styles and qualities to choose from at, pair, **$1.50**, **$2.00**, **$2.50** and... **$3.00**

MEN'S HOSIERY—A good variety of men's plain and silk embroidered black and colored half hose that make practical presents. Find out what size shoe you want them for and we will do the rest, pair... **25c**

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JUVENILE STORY BOOK, SPECIAL 17c—Several hundred good Juvenile Story Books, cloth bound, with handsome lithographed cover and good illustrations, such as Aesop's Fables, Self-Raised or From the Depths, The Changed Brides, Elaine, The Chouans, With Fire and Sword, Averil, Beulah, The Quest of Luck, Master of Ettersburg, The Firm of Girdlestone, Uncle Tom's Cabin, Hidden Path, Ardath, Romance of Two Worlds, Darkness and Daylight, Family Pride, The First Violin, Cousin Maude, Passion Flower, Marble Faun, Sunshine and Roses, etc.; any of this entire lot on sale Saturday at... **17c**

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GOOD 50c BOOKS—Japan, by Lafcadio Hearn; Peggy O'Neal, by Lewis; Medal of Honor, by General King; David Harum, by E. N. Westcott; Caleb West and Master Diver, by Smith, and many others suitable for old and young. These books are all well bound and clearly illustrated, worth $1.00 and $1.25.

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BATCHELDER-WAITT WEDDING

Well-Known Springs Couple Married at Torquay, England.

Word has been received here of the marriage in Torquay, Eng., December 1, of Mrs. Maude Waitt and William J. Batchelder, both of this city. A[illegible] those present at the wedding [illegible] Macklin, wife of Edward Macklin, a prominent Pittsburg [illegible] capitalist. She will accompany the couple on th[illegible] return to Colorado Springs next [illegible]

Batchelder is a member of the El Paso and other clubs of this city, and was formerly president of the [illegible] Motor and Manufacturing [illegible]. Mrs. Waitt was divorced here a year ago from A. M. Waitt, a high official of the New York Central [illegible].

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NEWS OF THE LOCAL COURTS

City Attorney W. C. Robinson yesterday filed in the district court an application to require Referee J. W. D. Stovell to file a report in the matter of the alleged shortage of former City Building Inspector E. G. Coray. Stovell was appointed referee more than two years ago. He is now in Nevada, and nothing is known of the progress of his investigation.

A motion by Defendant Keller in the case of Cyrus Thompson against J. W. Coffey and Charles Keller was filed in the district court yesterday to the effect that plaintiff render more specific his complaint with regard to Keller's connection in the matter.

Margaret Maloney, a codefendant in the case of Gelermann vs. Wheelan, Maloney et al., yesterday filed a plea in the district court, requesting that she be ex- [illegible] she is defendant in another suit, also pending, in which the same issues are involved.

Judge Kerr of the county court yesterday took under advisement the case of the city of Colorado City against Marshal George Birdsall, to determine who has the right to money received from the impounding of stray animals.

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COLORADO HEALTH REPORT

State Board of Health Issues November Bulletin.

Typhoid fever cases in Colorado decreased in number from 704 in October to 323 in November, a reduction of more than 50 per cent, according to the report of the state board of health for the month of November.

The total number of deaths in the state for that month was 809. Of these, there were 296 in Denver, 61 in Pueblo and 35 in Colorado Springs. The state annual death rate per 1,000 for November was 16.01, slightly above the average.

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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Banquet Held in Connection With El Paso Lodge Exercises.

An elaborate banquet was held in connection with the annual installation of officers by El Paso lodge No. 13, A. F. and A. M., last night. Dr. W. A. Campbell acted as toastmaster, addresses being delivered by the following: G. W. Musser, "Harmony;" W. P. Kinney, "The Buttonhole Mason;" W. S. Morris, "A Strong Bond;" Dr. R. C. Arnold, "Liberty, Equality and Fraternity," and Lemon Mummah, "The Beauties of Masonry."

The following officers were installed by Installing Officer W. B. McCune: Charles F. Aldrich, worshipful master; Joseph G. Dern, senior warden; Daniel Z. Wilson, junior warden; L. Arthur Puffer, treasurer; Eugene S. Cohen, secretary; E. Evans Carrington, chaplain; Edward J. Smith, Sr., marshal; Mark J. Smith, senior deacon; Otto E. Buckmann, junior deacon; Arthur E. Yale, senior steward; Charles S. Hillerman, junior steward; John H. Walker, tyler.

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COLORADO CITY NEWS

NICKEL IN CHILD'S THROAT

Dr. Arnold Succeeds in Dislodging Coin Swallowed Four Days Ago.

Physicians yesterday removed a nickel from the throat of the little three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Densmore, 1018 Jefferson avenue. The coin was swallowed four days ago, but physicians refused to do anything until an X-ray picture had been taken. Yesterday morning Dr. W. W. Arnold succeeded in dislodging the coin, and passing it into the little girl's stomach.

A special Christmas service will be held at the Congregational church tomorrow. A feature of both morning and evening services will be the musical numbers, which are as follows:

MORNING SERVICE.

Hymn, "Herald Angels," Mendelssohn, choir and congregation.
Solo, "Not Ashamed of Christ," Danks, Charles Palmer.
Soprano solo and chorus, Miss A. M. Tank and choir.
Baritone solo and chorus, with violin obligato, Charles Palmer and choir.
Hymn, "Joy to the World," Wesley, choir and congregation.

EVENING SERVICE.

Solo, "The Birthday of a King," Neidlinger, Miss Lettie Tibbals.
Solo, "Calvary," Rodney, Miss A. M. Tank.
Chorus, "Joy! Joy!" Filmore, choir.
Hymn, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," choir and congregation.
Chorus, "Lo, He Comes," choir.
Hymn, "My Savior First of All."

The following officers have been elected by the Methodist Sunday school for the year 1907: George W. Cook, superintendent; Miss Jennie Keyser, assistant superintendent; Mrs. George Brown, superintendent of the ordinary department; George Brown, treasurer; Miss Mamie Jamison, secretary; Miss Maude Pearson, assistant secretary; Cecil Arthur, librarian; Archie Smith, assistant librarian; Stanley Eflinger, chorister; Fred Shantz, organist.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church is preparing to give its Christmas entertainment on Monday evening. An interesting musical and literary program has been prepared, and there will be no admission charge. A collection will be taken for the Deaconess hospital fund and it is hoped that each person present will contribute something. The public is invited.

A number of the Colorado City teachers will spend the Christmas holidays with their parents. Miss Katherine Maddox goes to her home in eastern Kansas; Miss Lela Bridges left last night for Palisade, where her parents reside, and Miss Cora Blunt will spend Christmas with her mother at Florence.

A. O. U. W. No. 42 will hold its regular meeting in K. P. hall Wednesday evening. All members are asked to attend.

The Rev. Charles F. Seitter will deliver his farewell sermon as pastor of the Methodist church of Colorado City tomorrow evening. He will take as his theme, "Never Too Late to Mend—Is That So?" At the morning service there will be a baptismal service and reception of members.

First Baptist church, corner of Fourth and Lincoln avenue, A. B. Carson, pastor. Special Christmas sermons. Morning, "The Gift Bringer;" evening, "The Choir Visible." The chorus choir will render special music at both services.

William Lushinsky has been presented with a beautiful gold emblem watch fob by A. R. Talbut of Lincoln, Neb., head consul of the W. O. W., as a reward for securing five new members for the order.

Superintendent L. B. Grafton and a number of the public school teachers of this city will attend the meeting of the State Teachers association in Denver next week.

The first of a series of weekly dances to be given under the auspices of the Social club will be held in the Waycott opera house Wednesday night.

A [illegible] Temperance legion will be organized by the Colorado City W. C. T. U. at its next meeting on December 29.

The members of "The Cradle Roll" and their mothers were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jackson, 310 Jefferson avenue.

Leonard G. Thompson of Denver will preach at the Christian church tomorrow, both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Webbersliver are the parents of a daughter born Thursday.

T. A. Douglas, of 210 Jackson avenue, has moved to 10 North Eighteenth street.

Coal! Coal! Coal! Coal to burn. Coal that will burn. C. M. Sherman.

R. C. FRAYNE IS MISSING

Wife Charges Him With Assault In Local Courts Before.

R. C. Frayne, of 422 South Tejon street, a bookkeeper in the First National bank, whose wife, Mrs. Lou Frayne, has sworn out a warrant before Justice W. N. Ruby, charging her husband with assault, is missing, both from his home and place of business, and is thought to have left town.

Mrs. Frayne instituted divorce proceedings against her husband in the local courts last year, together with a damage suit charging her father-in-law with alienation of her husband's affections. Both cases were dismissed, and the couple lived together apparently happily, in a cottage presented them by Frayne's father, until a quarrel last week culminated in the severe thrashing of Mrs. Frayne by her husband, according to the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Frayne came here in July, 1904, from Kansas City, where the former's father is said to be a prominent capitalist.

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JOEL F. VAILE TO SPEAK HERE

Will Address Winter Night Club on "Roosevelt and Root Doctrine of Federal and States' Rights."

"The Roosevelt and Root Doctrine of Federal and States' Rights" will be the theme of the address of the speaker of the evening, the Hon. Joel F. Vaile, of Denver, at the next meeting of the Winter Night club, which will be held in the Antlers hotel on the evening of Thursday, January 10.

This topic is one of national importance in view of the present controversy between Japan and the United States on account of the exclusion of Japanese children from some of the public schools of California. Mr. Vaile is now in Washington on business relative to the Kansas-Colorado water suit, and is in close touch with the administration and the leading men of affairs in the nation. His knowledge of the trouble and the views of the president and Secretary Root fit him admirably to speak upon the subject which he has selected.

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"THE MANUFACTURE OF GAS"

Interesting Paper Read Before Utility Club by T. B. Glynn.

At the regular meeting of the Utility club last night in the offices of the Colorado Springs Electric company, T. B. Glynn delivered an interesting lecture on "The Manufacture of Gas." Following the lecture was a general discussion on the part of the members. Four new names were added to the membership list. The question box furnished much interesting information. The next meeting will be held January 4.

ALL SOULS CHURCH

Christmas Services.
Franklin Baker, Minister.
Dale and Tejon.
11 a. m.

Prelude, "March" .... Lohengrin
Doxology, No. 6.
Invocation.
Lord's Prayer.
Vocal Duet, "The Angel" ....
Mrs. Ball and Mrs. Hemingway.
Offertory.
Mixed Quartet, "Send Forth Thy Light" ....
Lesson, Matthew, Luke and Emerson.
Prayer.
Hymn 32.
Sermon, "The Christ of Christmas" ...
Vocal Solo, "Lord Whom My Heart Holds Dear" ....
Miss Mabel St. John.
Hymn 348.
Benediction.
Postlude, "March" .... Lovd
7:30 p. m.
Prelude, "Voluntary" .... Batiste
Mixed Quartet, "Lord's Prayer" ....
Evening prayer.
Hymn No. 1.
Announcements.
Vocal Solo, "Serenade" .... Schubert
Mr. Jaffe.
Lesson.
Prayer.
Hymn No. 2.
Lecture, "Christmas in the Home" ...
Offertory.
Quartet, "The Lord Is My Strength." ...
Hymn No. 3.
Postlude, "March" .... Semper
Organist, Miss Anna Robertson.

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DESCRIPTION OF HOLDUP

Springs Police Asked to Look for Leadville Robber.

The police last night received from the Leadville authorities a description of the man thought to be the holdup who on Wednesday night shot Ticket Agent Joseph Dale, of the Rio Grande station at that place, and secured about $100 from the cash drawer.

The holdup, who is thought to be Andrew Johnson, is approximately 32 years of age, weighs 155 pounds, is five feet eight inches in height and is smooth shaven. He has brown hair, light complexion, and high cheek bones.

WHAT THE PRESS AGENTS SAY

"THE SULTAN OF SULU."

"The Sultan of Sulu," which comes to the Opera house on next Monday evening, deals in a whimsical and satirical vein with certain imaginary events supposed to happen in the Philippines during the American invasion. Mirth and melody is the keynote of this comic opera success, and from all accounts the entertainment is witty, dainty, provocative of laughter and especially diverting to all classes.

George Ade, the famous author of "Fables in Slang," is said to have surprised his admirers by the Gilbertian flavor of the lines in the "Sultan of Sulu" and the humor redolent of the soil with which this book abounds.

The sultan's retinue of wives, soldiers, courtiers, dancing girls and his magnificent palace with its oriental splendor and tropical gardens, have had no small share in the phenomenal success that has hitherto attended this production. The cast has been most carefully selected and is one of exceptional excellence, and the large chorus noted for the beauty of its feminine members.

"UNCLE JOSH PERKINS."

"Uncle Josh Perkins," the New England rural comedy-drama, comes to the Opera house on Christmas day. It unfolds a story filled with sweet naturalness and possesses enough real life to make it a big success with all who go to see it. The company this season is said by our exchanges to be stronger than ever and is as laudable and as entertaining as anything produced in many a day. It is one of those plays that sends its audience home in a better frame of mind and on better terms with oneself, after having sat through the entertainment. The cast is said to be a finely blended one, and the specialties introduced are declared to be specially high-class; special settings for every scene depicted are carried complete by the company. They will give a matinee in the afternoon and performance in the evening. Matinee prices—Children, 25c; adults, 50c; evening prices, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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Overcoats, $10.00 to $35.00	Silk Neckwear 50c to $1.50	Underwear, 50c to $3.00
Raincoats, $6.00 to $30.00	Silk Mufflers, $1.00 to $3.00	Fine Caps, 50c to $3.00
Top Coats, $5.00 to $30.00	Wool Mufflers, 50c to $1.00	Wool Gloves, 25c to 75c
Lounging Robes, $5.00 to $16.50	Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c and up	Fur Gloves, $1.00 to $5.00
Bath Robes, $3.00 to $15.00	Sweaters, $1.50 to $5.00	Sealskin Mitts, $3.50
House Coats, $5.00 to $15.00	Sweater Coats, $2.00 to $5.00	Dress Gloves, 75c to $2.50
Suit Cases, $2.00 to $15.00	Slippers, $1.00 to $3.00	Lined Gloves, 50c to $2.50
Military Brushes, $1.50 to $3.00	Fine Hats, $1.50 to $5.00	Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c up
		Linen Collars and Cuffs
		White Shirts, $1.00 and up
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SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES.

First Baptist Church—Corner Kiowa and Weber streets. James H. Franklin, pastor. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Christmas: Its Traditions, Its Message, Its Observance." Special music. "Te Deum," Dudley Buck; "Sing, O Heavens," Berthold Tours; "Hallelujah Chorus," Handel. At 7:30 p. m. the choir of thirty voices, directed by Dr. Charles G. Woolsey, will render the Christmas cantata, "The Coming of the King," by Dudley Buck.

Swedish Lutheran church, corner West Bijou and Spruce streets, Rev. C. E. Lindquist, pastor. Services on Sunday: Morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:45. Christmas morning we will have "Julotto," 5 o'clock; the church will be finely decorated, and the church choir will sing at the early service. All our Scandinavians are cordially invited to Julotto! Next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock the Sunday school will have its Christmas festival.

First Congregational Church, corner of Tejon street and St. Vrain. James B. Gregg, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The service in the evening will be largely given up to Christmas music. Dr. Gregg will make a brief address on Christmas keeping and Christmas giving. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; religious discussion class at 12:15. Mr. Hastings' subject will be "The Captivity of Judah; the Hebrews in Despair." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian church, Edgar W. Work, pastor; Isaac J. Heizer, assistant. At the morning service Dr. Work will preach the annual Christmas sermon. In the evening at 7:30 a chorus choir of twenty voices will give George F. Root's cantata "Bethlehem." Brief remarks will be interspersed on "The Spirit of Christmas." Sabbath school exercises in main school at 9:30 a. m.; Ivywild school at 3 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Swedish Evangelical Mission church, corner of East Cucharas and Weber streets, one block east of the court house. F. Peterson, pastor. Young people's meeting, 4 p. m.; evening service, 7:30. On Christmas morning will be a special service at 5 a. m. All Scandinavians cordially invited.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church—Chapel at 525 East Boulder street. E. H. Lites, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Christmas tree and the bringing of gifts for others at 7:15 Monday evening; prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday. The pastor's theme for tomorrow morning will be, "Verified Predictions of the Babe of Bethlehem."

Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church—Corner Washington avenue and Fourteenth Street. Rollin H. Ayres, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. Subject, "The Greatest Gift of All." Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; preaching, 7:30. Subject, "The Common People's Christ. Christmas program Monday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; membership meeting, Friday, 7:30.

United Presbyterian church, Nevada and Huerfano street. W. Charles Wallace, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "The Educational Function of the Church—The Fashioning of Its Instrument;" evening: "The Word Made Flesh"—Christmas sermon. Congregational prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Entertainment and treat for the Sabbath school Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

United Brethren in Christ church and parsonage, 417 South Cascade avenue. Rev. T. E. Foreman, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m. The Sunday school will have a Christmas tree and free entertainment Monday, Christmas eve. The public is invited. The revival services will continue over Sunday and until Tuesday night.

First Methodist church, Nevada avenue and Boulder street. C. B. Wilcox, pastor. Dr. J. A. Mahood will preach at 11 a. m. and again at 7:30 p. m. These will be his last services. He will speak at 10 a. m. to new converts and those who have renewed their covenant with God and all church members who will come. Sunday school at 3 p. m.; Epworth League service at 6:15 p. m. A great day is anticipated.

Emmanuel Presbyterian church, J. C. Worley, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—morning subject, "The Angels' Song;" evening subject, "The Star of Bethlehem." Special music at both services. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m.; senior C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; Christmas exercises Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

People's Mission Church—No. 27 W. Huerfano. C. [illegible] meeting, 9 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. Holiness meeting, 3 p. m. Dr. O. F. Brooker of Oskaloosa, Ia., will preach. Open air rally, 7:15 p. m.; preaching by Dr. Brooks, 7:45 p. m. Special holiness convention through the week each afternoon and evening.

St. John's Baptist church, corner Pueblo avenue and Cimarron street. R. W. Johnson, pastor. Worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "God's Gift to the World;" evening subject, "Wonderful Savior." Christmas exercises for the Sunday school Monday night, 7:30.

Friends Church—330 South Tejon street. Robert L. Knight, pastor. Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m.; regular morning service, 11 o'clock; evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. The services both morning and evening will be conducted by Evangelist Inez Batchelor, assisted by the Gustavson sisters, the beautiful trio singers.

The East Side Loyal Temperance Legion will not meet during the holiday vacation. After the [illegible] they will [illegible] regularly up the Presbyterian chapel, just east of the Columbia school, every Monday evening, just after school. Eliza Brainstine, superintendent.

Grace church, corner Pike's Peak avenue and Weber street. Rev. Henry Rutgers Remsen, rector. Service Dec. 23, Fourth Sunday in Advent—7:45 a. m., early celebration; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school and service; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 8 p. m., evensong and sermon.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Perkins hall, Colorado college. Service, 10:30 a. m.—subject, "Christian Science;" Sunday school, 11:45 a. m. Wednesday meeting, 7:45 p. m. Reading room open week days, 9:30 to 4:30, 21½ East Bijou street.

Evangelical Association church, corner Uintah and Wahsatch. M. W. Plettner, pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Y. P. A. services at 7 p. m. Christmas program Monday evening, 7 o'clock. Come.

Swedish Free Mission Church—317 East Boulder street. Sunday services, 11 a. m., 4 and 7:30 p. m. Members received in the evening. Christmas service Tuesday morning, 5 a. m.; children's festival, Wednesday evening, 7:30. O. Carlson.

First English Lutheran Church—Corner of North Weber and East Platte avenue. The Rev. J. W. Finkbiner, pastor. Preaching by the Rev. W. K. Wright at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Luther League, 6:30 p. m.

Hillside Christian Church—200 block, E. Moreno. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. A Christmas sermon. Special music. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Raymond C. Farmer, pastor.

Mt. Olive Baptist church—917 South Weber street. James G. Haycraft, pastor. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. H. Franklin, pastor of First Baptist church, will preach at 3 p. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

All Souls Church—Franklin Baker, minister. Sermon: "The Christ of Christmas," 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Sunshine club, 6:30 p. m.; lecture, "Christmas in the Home," 7:30 p. m. Music, male quartet.

Second Presbyterian Church—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the Rev. S. H. Cheadle of this city. Sabbath school at 9:30; Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

First Universalist Church—In Majestic hall. Rev. John W. Carter, pastor of the First Universalist church of Denver, will preach at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening.

First Christian Church—North Nevada. Crayton S. Brooks, minister. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; preaching, 7:30 p. m.

Salvation Army—Holiness, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:00 p. m.; praise, 3:30 p. m.; Salvation meeting, 8 p. m. Rev. Foreman will preach.

Roswell Union—Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; preaching at 3:30 p. m. by Rev. Wallace, pastor of the United Presbyterian church.

DR. F. O. BURDICK HERE

Is Medical Director of Department of Colorado and Wyoming, G. A. R.

Dr. F. O. Burdick of Boulder, Colo., medical director of the department of Colorado and Wyoming, G. A. R., is visiting in Colorado Springs. Dr. Burdick recited a poem entitled "The Boys in Blue" at a reception given by post No. 22 of this city, to the department officers of the G. A. R. last Tuesday evening. At the encampment, which will be held in Colorado Springs next May, Dr. Burdick will again render this poem.

Watches, jewelry and cut glass, less than ever heard of before, as I have to move out on January 15. Ashby's.

ARIZONA ORANGES IN MARKET

Morse Commission Company Receives Large Shipment.

The first big shipment of Arizona oranges ever received in Colorado Springs has just been received by the I. J. Morse Commission company, 113 South Cascade avenue, and will be placed on the market today. The shipment consists of a carload of the fruit.

Arizona oranges ripen a month earlier than the oranges in California, and are noted for their sweet flavor. Previously, the entire crop has been marketed in New York and the east. This year, however, Mr. Morse was able to secure a car of them for Colorado Springs.

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[illegible] Belts, 75c to $1.00 values, at.....35c

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Societies and Clubs

There will be a special convocation of Colorado Springs chapter No. 6, R. A. M. at 7:30 o'clock tonight for the installation of officers for the ensuing Masonic year. The grand high priest and other grand officers from Denver will conduct the installation.

The North End W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. E. Cobb, 1621 North Weber street. The superintendent of Cottage Home work will have charge of the program. There will be papers on "The Cottage Home" and "Why Girls Go Wrong." Mrs. William Barber will give a reading, "A Great Wrong Made Right," and Mrs. Warner and Miss Davis will render vocal and instrumental music.

The ... at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hubert Strang, 420 East San Rafael street.

The East Side Loyal Temperance legion will not meet during the holidays. After the holidays the legion will meet each Monday evening at the Presbyterian chapel on East Boulder street.

Chapter C, P. E. O. meets with Miss Harriet Jordan next Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at 327 North Weber street.

Following are the officers installed at the stated conclave Thursday night by Pikes Peak commandery No. 6, Knights Templars: George G. Birdsall, eminent commander; William A. Anderson, generalissimo; Andrew J. Lawton, captain general; Robert H. Ashworth, senior warden; Joseph G. Dern, junior warden; Wesley S. Morris, prelate; James P. Barnes, treasurer; Aury B. Noxon, recorder; Joseph W. Wilkey, standard bearer; L. Arthur Puffer, sword bearer; William Hillis, warder, and Amos C. Clark, sentinel. The installation was by Grand Commander D. A. Barton, assisted by Grand Official Drill Master Stanley Warner and Grand Treasurer F. L. Bishop, all of Denver.

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WILL PREACH—Dr. J. W. Milford, who has been conducting a series of evangelistic meetings at the First M. E. church, will deliver his last sermon in this city tomorrow evening. He will preach on "The Wonderful Name," a Christmas sermon. At the morning service he will preach on "Heaven or the Christian's Triumph."

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Fancy Boiling Beef, per lb	5c, 6c, 8c
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Fancy Grape Fruit, each	10c
Fancy Cranberries, 2 quarts	25c
Fancy Eating Pears, per lb	10c
Fancy Leaf Lettuce, 6 bunches	25c
Fancy Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs	25c
Fancy Egg Plant, per lb	17c
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CARES OF SCHOOL LAID ASIDE

Many Students Leave City to Spend Holidays—Several Teachers Will Attend Denver Meeting

Text books were laid aside yesterday afternoon by the students of Colorado college, and the academies and public schools of Colorado Springs and but one thought now occupies the attention of these knowledge seekers—that of enjoying the Christmas holidays. At Colorado college last yesterday afternoon many students were busy packing their trunks and suit cases preparatory to leaving for home where they will spend Christmas. A number of the members of the college faculty and teachers of the public schools also will leave the city to spend the holidays. President Slocum, of the college, will attend the meeting of the Colorado Teachers association in Denver next week. Miss Loomis, dean of women at Colorado college, left Thursday for New York where she will spend the vacation days. Principal Richards of the High school and a number of the teachers, among whom are Professor Dubach, Mrs. Reinhardt, Miss Beauchamp and Miss McAllister and other will attend the Colorado Teachers association meeting in Denver. Miss Langley will go to her home in Denver. Miss Dennis will spend Christmas at Little Rock, Ark., and Miss Long of the domestic science department, will return to her home in Detroit, Mich.

The college vacation ends on January 3, while the public schools of this city and Manitou resume work on January 2. At Colorado City, the schools open on December 31 and dismiss again over New Years day.

For the students who remain in the city there will be a number of informal social affairs. The junior and senior classes of the High school have arranged for a dance to be given on New Year's eve at the Alamo hotel. It will be an invitation affair.

The pupils of the San Luis school yesterday afternoon gave their usual Yuletide entertainment, consisting of two plays, "Edith's Dream" and "Toy Review." The entertainment was given under the direction of Miss Hatty May Bennett, assisted by Miss Kittie Nathan and Professor A. C. Pearson. Ronald ... assisted by Hood van den ... Clarke ... gave an interesting tableau, greeting from Old Father Christmas. Then there will be the usual round of parties and dinners during the vacation days.

SPRINGS MEN STRIKE IT RICH

Open High Grade Ore in Nevada Camp—Elston and Frick Are Heavily Interested.

In a telegram sent yesterday from Beatty, Nevada, by Judson H. Elston, son of Judge J. A. Elston of this city, to W. H. Frick, Mr. Elston says that an exceedingly rich vein of gold ore has been found in the Mid Day claim of the Telescope Peak Mines syndicate group in which Colorado Springs capital is heavily interested. According to the dispatch the ore assays $500 per ton.

Mr. Elston's telegram is as follows: "Made strike in Telescope, runs $500

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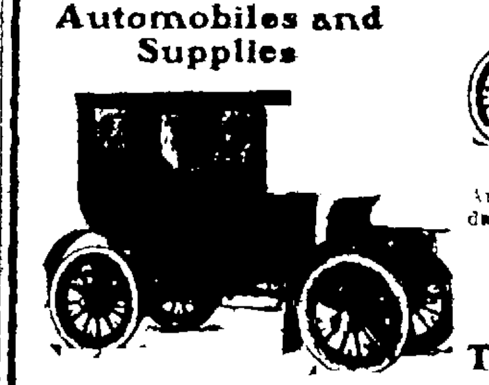

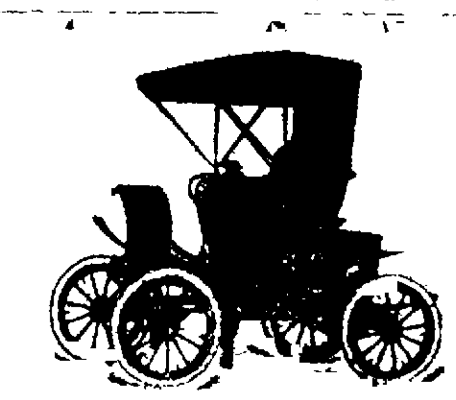

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DINES OFFERS APOLOGY

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DENVER, Dec. 21.—The trouble between Tyson Dines and J. K. Mullen, which arose over the invasion of Mr. Mullen's home by Mr. Dines and his son following a dispute over the use of a two-pary telephone line last July, was settled today and the $50,000 damage suit instituted by Mr. Mullen will be withdrawn. The settlement was effected through the intercession of a mutual friend, an apology resulting.

Following in full is Mr. Dines' apology:

Denver, Colo., Dec. 21, 1906.

Mr. J. K. Mullen, Denver:

Dear Sir—While laboring under what I have come to believe a misconception of facts, a great and grievous wrong was done you and your family, the extent of which has day by day since its commission by myself and my son Cortland, become more and more apparent to me and my family, until now, we are overwhelmed with regret and remorse and desire to make amends, if such is within my power. At the time of the commission of the wrong I was and for some time prior thereto, had been suffering from an attack of fever, and to this illness in connection with such misconception do I attribute my otherwise unexplainable conduct.

We are now fully satisfied that you offered no insult to my daughter in your conversation with her over the telephone, and that our misapprehension of the true facts arose by reason of a mind overwrought by fever and excitement, and I frankly confess that the invasion of your home, the assault upon you and the insult offered you and your family were unwarranted and unjustifiable. I am now also satisfied that some of the allegations in my answer to your complaint in the civil cases are erroneous in fact, and I will forthwith ask leave of the court to permanently withdraw the same from the records.

There is no extreme to which my family and myself will not go to wipe out and undo this most unfortunate incident. With this purpose in view, I therefore, for my family and for myself, humbly beg your forgiveness, with our assurances that we will from this day henceforth do everything in our power to right the grievous wrong we feel that you and your family have suffered at our hands. We desire to make our apology full and complete, and that your friends and the world at large may be advised of our action, we freely authorize you to give this apology to the press, so that it may receive as much publicity as did the incident we now so keenly regret.

Furthermore, I agree to reimburse you for all sums paid by you for attorney's fees and other expenses, the amount to be agreed upon by you and our mutual friend, Mr. David H. Moffat.

Very respectfully yours,

TYSON S. DINES.

Mr. Dines said that his statement explained everything and that he had nothing to add to it.

"I think that the statement by Mr. Dines is sufficient," said Mr. Mullen. "It is satisfactory to me and I do not wish to say anything that would add to Mr. Dines' distress of mind."

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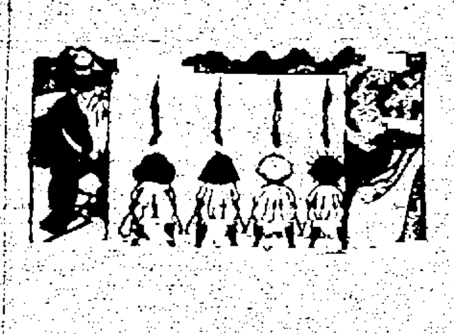

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HANGS HIMSELF FOR SHAME

Antisaloon Leaguer Forced to Drink a Quart of Liquor.

From the St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Going to the barn to attend to the milking, the wife of Will Hite, a prosperous young farmer living near Jessup, Iowa, was horrified to run against the dead body of her husband suspended from a rope. The body was still warm, but in spite of all efforts made it was found impossible to resuscitate him.

A letter left by Hite apparently reveals the cause for his act. He had been prominent in temperance circles and was an ardent member of the Antisaloon league, having taken part in many raids upon illegal saloons and been instrumental in closing up a number of such places. Recently Hite was waylaid in a lonely spot, blindfolded and taken into the woods. Here his captors, who were four in number and heavily masked, produced a quart bottle of whiskey and commanded Hite on pain of death to drink it.

Hite attempted to refuse, but the sight of four drawn revolvers was too much for his courage and finally he complied. He was plied with the whiskey until all of it was gone, when he was in a state of intoxication. Then his captors returned him to the side of a road, where they left him, with a placard upon his breast reading: "Have one on me," and the whiskey bottle by his side.

Hite was found by frends and was taken home and cared for, but the mortification caused by the act of his kidnapers preyed upon his mind to such an extent that this is given in the note left as the reason for his wishing to end his existence. Although a thorough investigation of the outrage has been made none of the culprits have been discovered.

CRUEL TO CAPTIVE ANIMALS.

From the Boston Herald.

Now it is the lion that turns. The biggest lion in captivity, attached to a circus in Berlin, has become disgusted with the profession and the other night "struck" for liberty. In the course of the last part of his act in the ring he made his dash, knocking down the trainer and putting his paw on his breast. But it was no use. The man drew a revolver and fired several shots at the king of the forest, frightening him away. It is inhuman business making clowns of royal lions; yet while man is man the menagerie will be the chief factor in the circus. From the most ancient days it pleased savage man to toy with savage beasts and the world has grown no more humane with time. It will always love to be cruel, however thoughtlessly.

GOOD MEASURE DANGEROUS.

From the Philadelphia Record.

A well-to-do elderly gentleman living in one of the suburbs of Philadelphia is known in the neighborhood as something of a miser and has made himself extremely unpopular with local tradesmen by always pleading for "good measure" and his slowness in settling his bills. Quite recently he was feeling ill and consulted a physician, who wrote him a prescription, which he took to a drug store near his home to have filled. "Be sure and let me have good measure, won't you, Mr. Blank?" said he, with his customary smirk, and a broad smile came over the face of the druggist as he read the prescription. "For once," he replied, "I would be glad to do it if I dared to, for if I put in one more grain than this prescription calls for you would be dead in five minutes."

EGG NEARLY A YARD AROUND

There is being exhibited in Liverpool a prodigious egg, that of a tall, flightless bird—the aepyornis maximus, which formerly inhabited the island of Madagascar. The eggs of this immense creature are nearly a yard in circumference and a foot in length, and their cubical contents, roughly speaking, are equal to six ostrich eggs or 150 hens' eggs, 60,000 humming birds' eggs or two gallons of water. The market price ranges from $175 to $300, only twenty known specimens being in existence.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—John Seymour, chief detective of the Wells Fargo Express company, stated tonight that the express box stolen at Reno contained between $150 and $1,120, and was probably stolen from the platform by sneak thieves.

DAYTON, O., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Katie Gilman, the mother of murdered Donna Gilman, and Collis Gilman, the accused brother, were held to the grand jury today. Fayne Gilman, the sister, was exonerated by Justice Wagner.

Try St. John's hand-moulded chocolates, 35 cents per pound. St. Johns Candy Co., 114 N. Tejon street.

THE BAD DRESSING OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

New York Correspondence Pittsbur Dispatch.

The tailor whose shop is located near Columbia university sighed as he regarded a crowd of students passing his doorway. "The college boy is the worst dressed young man in America," he announced. "Why so?" inquired the customer to whom he was talking. "Because the college boy goes in for such exaggerations," was the answer. "Instead of following a new fashion with restraint, he seizes upon it and enlarges on it until on his figure an attractive garment becomes a caricature. Look at those boys. Notice their shoes—soles an inch thick and extensions all out of proportion. Take notice of their coats, their trousers, their overcoats, their waistcoats—all overdone, all burlesques of the real fashion. The college boy is not content to wear the correct thing. It is not obtrusive enough for him. If he were simply and quietly well dressed he is afraid no one would know he was a college man, so he takes every feature and exaggerates it. If broad shoulders are fashionable his will scarcely let him through a doorway; if long coats are the style his comes below the knees; if loose trousers are the thing he has his made the size of a barrel. So, on account of his tendency to distort everything, I call the college student the worst dressed young man in America."

SIMIAN LOVE AND REVENGE.

Peculiar Conduct of a Monkey Causes Sailors Much Trouble.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A curious story of love and revenge comes to us from the far east and the fact that it is the love and revenge of a Javanese monkey doesn't abate the human interest in the narrative. Nor should the further fact that the tale comes to us via the crew of a tramp steamer abate all confidence in its truth. It appears that the sailors who manned this steamer had collected in Java a number of monkeys for speculative purposes and these were confined in the hold.

Among them were two unusually intelligent simians who were released during the voyage and permitted the freedom of the ship. Unhappily a sudden storm came up and one of the playful creatures was washed overboard. The remaining one, who had not seen his comrade's sudden taking off, searched the ship for hours and finally betook himself to the rigging, where he remained three days, refusing food and avoiding all efforts to capture him.

No doubt he held the sailors responsible for the death of his partner and it would appear that he was formulating a scheme for revenge. Anyway, the third night he released all the monkeys in the hold and for two days the simians made life miserable for the sailors. They bit and scratched and fought and it was only after a number of them had been flung overboard that the balance could be captured and secured. And in all the forays and fierce charges the revengeful monkey was in the van.

Whatever may be contended concerning the reasoning powers of the brute creation, there have been many instances recorded of their remembrances of past injuries. And this fact would seem to give the story of monkey vengeance some semblance of truth.

WHAT WE DRINK AND SMOKE.

From the Philadelphia Record.

Beer, whisky and tobacco have been consumed so freely that the internal revenue for the last fiscal year ran about $15,000,000 above that of the year before, and $5,000,000 above the estimates made last fall, when one-third of the year had passed. During the first quarter of the current fiscal year the receipts went more than $4,000,000 above those of the corresponding quarter in the last year and the commissioner estimates that, although the tax is about to be removed from alcohol used in the arts, the total internal revenue collections in the present year will rise to $260,000,000, an increase of $10,000,000 over last year.

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THREE TESTIMONIALS WORTH READING.

W. B. Prather, of Mocksville, N. C., writes (June ..., 1906): "Enclosed please find ... cts. for which kindly send me three tubes of your Catarrhal Jelly. I have derived more benefit from this Jelly than from any other I have ever used, which have been many. I secured a good supply from you some time ago but in my desire to have others enjoy the relief it affords, I have given away the samples you sent me and two of the packages. Everyone seems to echo my sentiment as to its value."

Mrs. A. C. Harriet, 304 West 14th Street, New York, writes (May 16, 1906): "I found a sample of your Catarrhal Jelly in my letter box and I used some of it which proved a great relief for my catarrh. It stopped the dropping in my throat and I liked the soothing feeling it gave in my nose and throat. Kindly let me know the price for a package and I will send stamps or money."

The writer used less than a tube and was entirely free from all catarrhal trouble.

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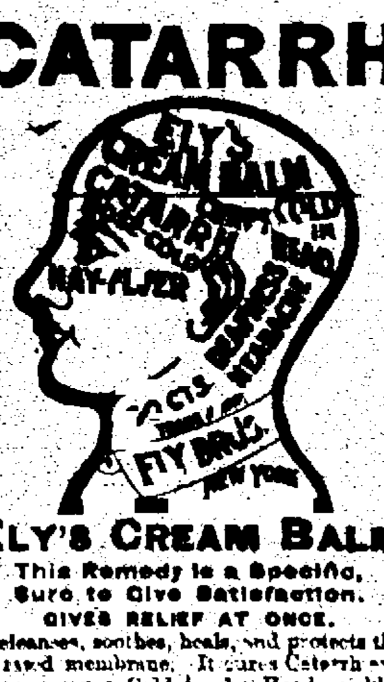

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INTERMEDIARY BORE FAVORED

Cripple Creek Mining Men Oppose Deeper Tunnel Because of Additional Expense and Time.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21.—There seems to be but little question that the executive or drainage tunnel committee will select the intermediary bore, which is to be started between January 1 and 15. There are several reasons why the mine owners for the most part favor this bore instead of the deeper one, which would have for its portal the "Window in the Rock."

The mines on the east side of the camp, located on Battle mountain and Bull hill, which are bothered with water, declared that if the deeper tunnel were run it would require nearly two years longer to complete it, the expense would be much heavier, and they would be put to the necessity of buying new and more expensive machinery, as their present plants would not do the work down to the dry level occasioned by the deeper bore.

The Gatch park portal of the intermediary tunnel is located about midway between the El Paso mine on Beacon hill and the "Window in the Rock" site. This tunnel will be only 14,000 feet long while the deeper one would have been about 20,000 feet in length with about 8,000 feet of laterals.

NUMEROUS ENTERPRISES

Turret Shows Considerable Activity at Present Time.

TURRET, Colo., Dec. 18.—P. P. Maine has resumed work in the Vesper tunnel for the company. He is now planning out the tunnel and putting it into shape for extensive development work.

The returns from the shipment of Vivandiere ore have not been received but it is expected that the values will be close to $40. The extracting of ore is going on in quantities that insure regular shipments.

The drift in the Fourth of July will probably have to extend about ten feet farther before any change of importance will take place. A streak of talc lies on the hanging wall and beside it is a streak of prophyry which contains sulphides.

A sample assay taken from the surface of the Eddie C. gave $9.80 gold, 18 ounces silver and 4 per cent copper, or a total value of about $40. The property belongs to Thomas Kinney of Anaconda. It is located about midway between Turret and Hecla.

The development of the Copperopolis is being carried on through an incline shaft which is now about 100 feet deep. A good grade of ore has been exposed from the surface to the present depth. A drift has been started on the vein from the bottom of the shaft.

We learn from Robert Denham, who made a personal inspection of the Independence the first of the week, that under the management of Thomas Thompson the work is progressing in a most satisfactory manner. The mine is being cleaned up and timbered. The latter is necessary for safety of the mine and workmen. But little ore is being broken at present and will not be until the mine is in condition for mining to the greatest advantage. Then the extracting of ore and development of the mine will be vigorously pushed.

FUTURE LOOKS FAVORABLE

Bowerman District Shows Renewed Life—Certain to Be Heard From.

PITKIN, Colo., Dec. 19.—While little is being said of the Bowerman district, this part of the country is still showing considerable signs of life, and will yet be heard from in the mining way. Although it has been more than three years since the excitement which ushered in that camp, but little work of a substantial nature has been done, and the workings are few where a depth of 100 feet has been attained. With capital to drive a long tunnel into one of the hills where a depth of say 1,000 feet could be had, there is every reason to believe that larger and better bodies of ore would be found and that they would give very gratifying results.

The surface indications are excellent over almost the entire district, and there is not much doubt but that the veins go down to great depth and increase in width and values as they do farther up the gold belt, on Ohio creek.

It is hoped that the new company recently organized by Mr. Rednour will thoroughly prove up the district as it will should they run the proposed tunnel, which will give a depth of 1,100 feet. We quote the Manzanola Sun as to the organization of the new company.

"The Kentucky Mines and Milling company was organized at Manzanola, December 5, with the following officers: Henry Rednour, president and superintendent; J. Marvin Smith, of Urbana, Ill., vice president; J. H. Shukhart, of Doyle, secretary and treasurer. The board of directors are Henry Rednour, Mrs. Blanche Rednour, A. B. Hughes, J. M. Smith, J. H. Shuckhart, D. A. McConnell and J. D. Case. P. J. Dugan of Pueblo, is the attorney and legal adviser for the company.

"The property consists of 24 claims, of two hundred and forty acres, and is located on South Copper mountain, in Box Canon, near Waunita Springs, Gunnison county, and is one of the coming properties of the state. The ore from the assessment work, only ten feet deep, runs from $19 to $72. The property will be worked by a tunnel, the greatest depth being 1,100 feet."

CROSSCUTTING FOR SHOOT

Hayden Has Bright Prospects on Home Fraction of Ironclad.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21.—Louis A. Hayden, who made a fortune on the Gregory claim on Raven hill, the property of the Elkton Consolidated, has returned to camp from a three months' trip to California and has resumed operations on his lease on the Home fraction on Ironclad hill, adjoining the famous W. P. H. property. Mr. Hayden has started to crosscut with the expectation of finding the continuation of one of the rich shoots uncovered in the W. P. H. The formation is rapidly changing, and the prospects are quite bright for the finding of ore within a short time.

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MOHICAN IN SHIPPING LIST

Lost Shoot Has Been Recovered. Values Between $30 and $50.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21.—The Mohican mine, which was a heavy shipper up until six months ago and out of which Howard Wyndham and associates made a fortune of $20,000 in a few months, is again to enter the shipping list, even more heavily than before. The shoot which Wyndham and company opened up and then lost, has been recovered at an approximate depth of 200 feet. The shoot as recovered is about eight feet wide and in places even wider. The ore will run, according to assays, from $30 to $50 in gold to the ton. It is believed that this ore will ship in carload lots about $40 in gold to the ton. Considerable sylvanite is to be found on the rock. The initial shipment will probably be made next week.

COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS

MINES.

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	13⅝	14
B. Belle	03⅞	
C. C. Cons	07	07⅞
C. K. & N.	17½	18½
Dante	06¾	07
Doctor-Jack Pot	08⅛	08¾
Elkton	66¾	67¼
El Paso	62⅛	62⅝
Fanny B.	05	05½
Findley	69	72
Gold Dollar	08⅞	08¾
Gold Sovereign	07⅛	07½
Index	06	06
Isabella	28⅛	28¾
Jack Pot	06	06½
Katinka	03	
Last Dollar	02	04½
Lexington	04	04⅛
Mary McK.	72	75
Mollie G.	05	06¼
Moon A.	01¾	01½
Old Gold	04½	05
Pharmacist	06½	06⅞
Portland	1.47	1.53
Prince A.	01½	02
Vindicator	85	1.00¼
Work	23¾	24

UNLISTED.

	Bid.	Ask.
Golden Cycle	70	
Jennie Sample	08⅛	09
Jerry J.	06	08½
United G. M.	09½	

PROSPECTS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Agnes	02⅝	03
Alamo	02	
American	01½	
Anchor	01¼	
Aola	01	01½
Banner	02⅞	03
Blue Bell	04½	04¾
Bob Lee	01	01¼
Buckhorn	01⅛	01½
Camilla	06	
C. C. & M.	01⅝	02¼
Coriolanus	02½	02⅝
Creede		02½
Des Moines	01¼	
Gold Bond		03⅞
Gould	03⅛	03¼
Grace	01	01¼
Hart	01½	07
Ida May	03½	
Jolly Jane	01½	02
Keystone	02¼	02½
Little Bessie	01	02
Little Nell	01¾	02
Little Puck	02⅝	02⅞
Magnet R.	02	
Mary Nevin	05	05¾
Merrimac		01½
Midway	02½	02¾
Missouri	01	
Mt. Beauty	12¾	13¼
Mt. Rosa		08
National	01⅝	02
New Haven	01¾	02¼
Ollie B.	01	01⅞
Pilgrim	01⅞	02
Princess	01⅛	
Rattler	01	01½
Raven	01¼	02
Republic	01⅝	01¾
Requa S.	01½	03
R. Burns		02
R. Maud	03½	05¼
R. Nicol	02½	03
St. Thomas	01¾	02
Teutonic	02⅛	02½

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Black W.	006	01
Blanche	001	007
Cable	004	
Champion	0065	007
Colo. G. C.	007	008
Easter B.	003	
Fauntleroy	03½	04½
Favorite	003	0045
Flower W.	006	
Golden Age	004	
Gold Hill	002	
Goldstone	005	01
G. G. Belt	006	008
Hayden	004	
Hummer		01½
Key West		02
Kitty	006	
Lucrative	001	
Magic		0015
Marion		002
McKinney Ex.	005	006
M. J. T.	002	006
Montreal		02
Nellie V.	0065	
O. K.	007	
Oriole	006	01
Palace	002	004
Pinnacle	007	01
Progress	007	01⅛
Pythias	0025	005
Red Spruce	008	
Silver	003	
Sunset	002	005
Tenderfoot	0065	
Texas G.	0035	01
Uncle Sam	005	006
Volcano	0045	01
Wide Awake	0035	

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid.	Ask.
Colorado Telephone	52	53
Denver Union Water 5s 1914	1.00	1.02
C. G. S. 1st mortg. bonds	1.00	1.03
C. C. S. L. 1st cons. bonds	83½	86
C. C. S. L. 2nd mortg. bonds	96	
U. S. Sugar & Lands pfd.	80	85
U. S. Sugar & Lands com.	37½	40

SEPARATE SALES.

MINES—Acacia, 800 at 14; C. K. & N., 1000 at 18; C. C. Cons., 1000 at 7; El Paso, 1500 at 63, 500 at 62¾, 500 at 62, 500 at 62⅜, 100 at 63¼; Fanny B., 5000 at 5; Gold Dollar, 5000 at 8½; Gold Sovereign, 1000 at 7½; Elkton, 2000 at 67¼; Portland, 800 at 1.50; Work, 2000 at 24.

UNLISTED—Jennie S., 2000 at 9.

PROSPECTS—Banner, 4000 at 2¾; C. C. & M., 5000 at 2; Gould, 1000 at 3¼; Grace, 21000 at 1¼; Keystone, 2000 at 2⅜, 15,000 at 2½; Mt. Beauty, 5000 at 13; Republic, 2000 at 1⅝.

MISCELLANEOUS—Champion, 15,000 at .0065; Colo. G. C., 12,000 at .0075; McKinney Ex., 5000 at .005.

LONDON MINING MARKET.

The following quotations are furnished by William P. Bonbright & Co., of New York, London and Colorado Springs:

London, Dec. 21.

	£	s	d
Camp Bird	1	8	0
Esperanza	2	11	3
El Oro	1	5	0
Tomboy	1	12	6
Stratton's Independence	0	3	3

ELKTON STOCK WILL REACH $1

Mine Will Be Among First to Be Freed From Water by Deep Drainage Tunnel.

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Dec. 21.—While the management of the Elkton has not announced any strikes recently, yet the fact that the deep drainage tunnel which has been decided on, will allow of the Elkton to be one of the first water soaked properties to be drained, has had its bull effect undoubtedly on Elkton stock. There is other reason, it is believed, however, more pertinent at this time.

The Elkton has during the past year opened up some new and large ore bodies in virgin ground above the water level. These ore shoots are now being found and the property has apparently enough ore in sight to keep it shipping at the rate of 1,200 or 1,500 tons per month. The Elkton ore, besides, is of a fine grade, when tonnage is considered. The ore will run on an average of about $35, and every now and then several cars of ore are shipped that exceed in value the above quoted figures. The Elkton mine is today in better physical and financial condition than ever before, and with its paying dividends and stock selling between 60 and 70 cents a share, there is no wonder that the conservative investor is buying all that is offered. The Elkton stock is destined to reach $1 per share in the opinion of many in Cripple Creek.

DUN'S WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

Freight Blockades and Shortage of Motive Power Retard Business. Holiday Trade Enormous.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—R. G. Dun and company's Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say: Weather conditions accelerated distribution of seasonable merchandise at retail, but increased traffic difficulties, freight blockades and shortage of motive power not only retards business, but threatens serious results at some western points. Holiday trade has equaled sanguine expectations, yet this large volume has not interfered with the brisk demand for staple articles which depleted stocks to such an extent that wholesale trade experiences unusual activity for the season. The only noteworthy decrease in comparison with activities a year ago appears in building permits.

"Staple farm products have fluctuated within narrow limits, no developments of importance being reported. Wheat had the support of unfavorable crop news from Russia, but light grinding by domestic mills prevented any material improvement and there was no speculative activity.

Liabilities of commercial failures thus far reported during December amounted to $5,703,827, of which $3,434,830 were in manufacturing, $2,118,244 in trading and $150,753 in other commercial lines.

NEVADA DISTRICT STOCKS.

By William A. Otis & Co.'s Private Wire.

	Bid.	Ask.
Belmont	575	587
Cash Boy	13	14
Golden Anchor	45	49
Home	16	18
Jim Butler	120	122
McNamara	63	65
Midway	230	235
Montana	375	380
North Star	38	41
Ohio	18	20
Tonopah Extension	650	
Tonopah of Nevada	1950	2025
West End	165	170
Adams	16	17
Atlanta	47	48
Blue Bell	25	28
Booth	70	75
Columbia Mountain	95	100
Conqueror	17	18
Diamondfield	41	42
Dixie	31	32
Goldfield	125	130
Jumbo	375	
Jumbo Extension	100	105
Kendall	48	50
Laguna	130	140
May Queen	16	20
Mohawk	1500	1525
Red Top	310	325
Sandstorm	65	67
Silver Pick	105	110
St. Ives	75	78
National Bank	51	52
Eclipse	119	
Gold Bar	125	127
Original	20	21
Steinway	33	35
Con. Virginia	110	115
Ophir	305	318
Mexican	83	88
Caledonia	41	43
Exchequer	65	69
Norcross	87	
Golden Crown	16	18
Great Bend	78	79
Rescue	29	21
Black Butte Ext.	09	10
Montgomery Mountain	43	44
Sunset	16	17
Scepter	53	54
Manhattan	17	18
Seyler Humphrey	10	11
Dexter	76	77
Granny	33	
Gold Wedge	19	20
Lone Star	25	27
Great Bend Extension	19	21
Great Bend Annex	15	16
Crescent	13	15
Cowboy	12	14
Denver Annex	21	25
Black Rock	09	10
New York Con.		20
Manhattan Con.	85	86
Little Joe	05	06
Mayflower	73	74
Jumping Jack	61	62
Red Top Extension	23	24
Mustang	17	19
Bullfrog Mining Co.	28	29
Combination Fraction	390	400
Daisy	190	195
Triangle	29	30
Tramp Cons.	155	160
Manhattan Combination	12	13
Black Butte Bonanza	09	10
Yankee Girl	12	13
Stray Dog	73	74
Bullfrog Victor	28	32
Pine Nut	26	28
Indian Camp	112	115
Oro	39	40
Nugget	13	14
Nevada Hills	315	
Fairview Eagle	90	100
Bullfrog Daisy	43	44
Eagle's Nest	31	33
Frances Mohawk	90	94
Yellow Tiger		35
Lou Dillon	30	31
N. H. Florence	20	22
Grandma		29
Yellow Horse	10	11
Homestake	112	120

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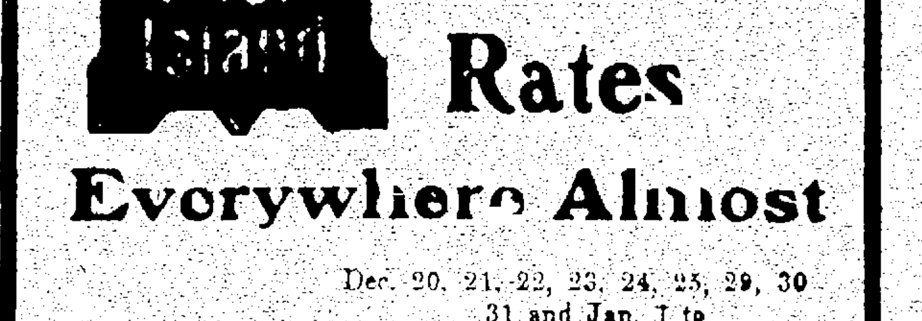

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MARKET FEATURELESS

SPECULATION IN STOCKS IS RESTRAINED.

Volume of Business Small—No Pressure for Forced Liquidation in Stocks—Bonds Are Steady.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The stock market was free from disturbance caused by any heavy withdrawal of credits in call loans today. There was no pressure of forced liquidation in stocks. Uncovered bear traders with no prospect of immediate urgent selling to enable them to take additional profits, bought on a moderate scale to cover their short contracts. There was no evidence of a large demand from other sources.

The lessened stringency in the money market was regarded with some doubts of its permanency. The part played in stock market liquidation in bringing it about was also held in mind. There was lacking confidence that a renewal of speculative commitments in stocks would leave the money market exempt from a renewal of stringency. Indications pointed to a decided improvement in the showing of the banks in tomorrow's bank statement. Most of the cash gain is due to the subtreasury operations which had been in favor of the banks up to Thursday night to the extent of $5,336,000. In addition to this the interior movement has been in favor of this center, but the balance of the movement has been a small one. A gain in cash is thus indicated in itself sufficient to restore a considerable margin of surplus in the reserve of the banks.

The actions of the stock market during the week points to a considerable loan contraction having been effected. In view of the heavy requirements confronting the market it is not believed that the resources in hand by the banks will be more than sufficient to meet demands without any complicating factors such as renewed speculation.

Advices from London pointed to a notable recuperation of reserve also by the bank of England by receipt of over $3,000,000 from Paris and over $500,000 secured in the open market in London. Additional gold is expected to go from Paris to London this week. London credits its exemption from a demand for gold from New York to the compliance of New York bankers with the needs of the London market. It is believed also that some accommodation may have been given for the extension of credits to New York falling due on the first of the year. It is to be remembered also that the railroad companies, which are making large new stock issues, are among those having the largest number of foreign stockholders. Subscription to new stock by these foreign stockholders will establish credits for this market abroad which will increase the supply of exchange.

The day's market offered few features. The prominent place held by St. Paul in the recovery was not strange in view of the violence of its fall preceding. The Hill stocks continued unsettled to some extent and were slow to respond to the general upward movement.

There was further weakness also in Reading. The speculation was on the whole restrained and the volume of dealings small. The strong showing of the Southern Pacific annual report seemed to have more effect on Union Pacific than on the stock of the subsidiary company. Minor incidents of the day were the threatened strike of railroad yardmen in the neighborhood of New York and reports of damage suits against railroads in Texas for delayed traffic.

There was some concession from the best prices of the day before the market closed.

Bonds were steady. Total sales par value $1,514,000.

United States new fours advanced 1-4 per cent on call.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Woolen	31½	32	31¼	31⅝
Am. Sugar	133	133	132½	132
Am. Loco	72½	73	72¼	72¾
Am. Smelter	148¾	151½	148⅝	151
do. pfd	114⅞	115	114½	115
Am. Car Fdry	42⅝	43½	42½	43¼
Atchison	102¼	103½	101¾	103½
do. pfd	101¼	101½	101¼	101
Anaconda	287	288½	286½	288
Amal. Copper	113	113⅝	112⅝	113⅞
Brook. R. T.	81	81⅝	80¼	80⅞
B. & O.	120	120¼	119¾	120
C. M. & St. P.	152	152¾	151	152½
C. R. I. & P.	26	30	26½	[illegible]
Ches. & O.	56⅛	56¼	55⅝	56
Can. Pac.	196	197⅝	195¼	196
Colo. Sou.	36¾	37	36⅝	[illegible]
C. F. & I.	56¾	56¼	56¼	[illegible]
D. & R. G.	41⅞	42	41⅝	42
Distillers Sec.	69	69⅞	69	69⅞
Gen. Elec.	158	158½	158	158½
Ill. Central	170	170	168½	169
L. & N.	143¾	146⅛	143½	146⅛
M. K. & T.	41½	41¾	41⅛	41½
do. pfd	71¾	71⅞	71¼	73½
Mex. Central	27	27¼	26⅞	27
Mo. Pac.	93½	94	92¼	92¼
National Lead	72¾	73	72¾	73
N. Y. Central	130	130½	129⅛	130⅝
N. & W.	86⅜	90⅝	90½	90½
N. Y. Con. Gas	138½	138½	138½	138½
No. Pac.	197½	198½	193¾	197½
People's Gas	95	95¾	95¼	98½
Penn.	137⅝	137⅝	159¾	137½
Pac. Mail	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
P. S. Car Co.	53½	54	53½	53¼
Reading	140⅝	140½	137⅝	139
Rep. I. & S.	38⅝	38⅝	38½	38½
do. pfd	99½	97¼	99½	97½
Sou. Ry.	[illegible]	[illegible]	32¼	30⅝
Sou. Pac.	92¾	93½	91½	93
Texas Pac.	36⅛	36¼	36	36
Tenn. C. & I.	160	160	160	160
Union Pac.	181⅝	182¾	180⅞	182
U. S. Redn. pfd.	60	60	60	60
U. S. Rubber	52	52¾	52	52
U. S. Steel	47½	48¼	47½	48⅛
do. pfd	106½	101½	103¾	106⅞
...Car. Chem.	35	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
...hash	19½	19¾	19	[illegible]
...ne Cons.	31½	32	31½	32

...ney closed 4½ per cent.
...l sales 682,700.

NEW YORK MONEY.

...YORK, Dec. 21.—Close—Prime ...e paper, 6@6½ per cent; sterling ..., barely steady, with actual business ...bankers' bills at 483.50@483.25 for ... and at 477.80@477.85 for 60-day ...al rates, 479½@480 and 484½@485; ... bills, 477½; bar silver, 69½c; ...ollars, 55¾c; government bonds, ...nd bonds steady.

...call, firm, 4@9 per cent; ruling ...ing bid, 4¾; offered at 8 per ... loans, steady; 60 days, 8@9½ ... days, 8 per cent; 6 months, ...

WOOL MARKET.

... Dec. 21.—Wool steady; ter... western mediums, 20@21; fine ... [illegible]

GRAIN MARKETS WEAK

GOVERNMENT REPORT OATS CROP RESPONSIBLE.

Wheat Opens Easy; Closes Steady. Trading in Corn Quiet—Great Excitement in Oats Pit.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—A statement contained in the government crop report that the total yield of oats in this country will be 101,000,000 bushels larger than previous estimates caused weakness today in all the grain pits. Under the influence of active selling in oats, the wheat market opened easy, but the volume of trading was not large. The principal selling was by a prominent bull who was credited with disposing of 500,000 bushel of the May option. The news of the day inclined to the bull side but the decline in the price of oats outweighed these advices. Cables were firm, receipts in the northwest were small and early reports from Argentina told of delayed harvesting because of wet weather. Later advices however contradicted these statements from South America. Commission houses and shorts absorbed the greater part of the offerings. There was less selling pressure during the last hour, and the market closed steady. May opened unchanged to 1-8 lower at 78 to 78 1-8, sold off to 77 3-4, and closed at 78.

Trading in the corn pit was quiet and the market was influenced chiefly by the weakness of oats. There was some pressure from longs on the December option because of the government crop report which declared an increase of 40,000,000 bushel in the total yield.

The buying late in the day was of a more influential character and caused a steady close with prices slightly under the level of yesterday. May opened 1-8 to 1-8@1-4 lower at 43½@3-8 to 43 3-8, sold off to 43 3-8 and closed at 43½.

Intense excitement prevailed in the oats pit early in consequence of a selling stampede caused by the government's final estimate of the crop. Commission houses and local longs seem to have unlimited quantities of oats for sale and during the first few minutes trades were made at a variance of fully half a cent. For a time it seemed as though a sensational decline would occur but steady buying by commission houses around 35½ checked the slump. The selling was less feverish after the first half hour and the market became steady. A portion of the early loss was regained before the close which was steady. May opened 3-8@¼ to 7-8@1 lower at 35½@36, sold up to 35⅞@1-8 and closed at 35 7-8.

Provisions were made easy early in the day because of a five to ten cent decline in the price of live hogs. Later the market became firmer on good buying by local packers. At the close May pork was unchanged at $16.45. Lard was 2½@5 higher at $8.95. Ribs were off 2½ at $8.80.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	74⅛	75	74	74⅞
May	78⅛	78⅛	77¾	78
July	77¼	77⅜	76⅞	77¼
Corn—				
Dec.	41⅞	41⅞	41⅝	41⅞
May	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43½
July	44	44⅛	43⅞	43¼
Oats—				
Dec.	33⅜	33½	33½	33⅝
May	38	36	36½	36⅞
July	33½	33⅞	33⅜	33½
Pork—				
Jan.	16.15	16.17	16.10	16.10
May	16.35	16.55	16.30	16.45

EASTERN LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Receipts, 4,500. Market steady. Beeves, $4.00@$6.95; cows and heifers, $1.60@$5.15; stockers and feeders, $2.40@$4.50; Texans, $3.75@$4.60; westerners, $3.90@$5.50; calves, $6.00@$8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000. Market 10 cents lower. Mixed and butchers, $6.00@$6.35; good heavy, $6.20@$6.25; rough heavy, $5.85@$6.10; light, $5.90@$6.10; pigs, $5.00@$6.20; bulk of sales, $6.10@$6.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000. Market steady. Sheep, $3.75@$5.65; lambs, $4.90@$7.65.

KANSAS City, Dec. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, including 100 southerns. Steady. Native steers, $4.00@$6.60; southern steers, $3.00@$5.00; southern cows, $2.00@$3.25; native cows and heifers, $2.00@$5.10; stockers and feeders, $2.90@$4.80; bulls, $2.40@$4.00; calves, $3.00@$6.50; western fed steers, $3.50@$5.50; western fed cows, $2.25@$4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,000. Market 5 to 10 cents lower. Bulk, $6.17½@$6.25; heavy, $6.20@$6.30; packers, $6.17½@$6.27½; pigs and light, $5.60@$6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Steady. Muttons, $4.50@$5.75; lambs, $6.00@$7.50; range wethers, $4.50@$6.25; fed ewes, $3.50@$5.15.

COTTON MARKET.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	9.10	9.18	9.10	9.17
Jan.	9.18	9.25	9.16	9.21
March	9.50	9.55	9.48	9.52
May	9.70	9.75	9.65	9.72
July	9.80	9.85	9.80	9.83
Aug.	9.71	9.71	9.71	9.71

KANSAS CITY GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21.—Close—Wheat, unchanged; Dec., 66¼c; May, 72c; July, 70¾c; cash No. 2 hard, 69½@72c; No. 3, 68@71c; No. 2 red, 73@73½c; No. 3, 67@72c.

Corn, unchanged; May, 38¼c; July, 39½c; Sept., 40¾c; Cash No. 2 mixed, 37c; No. 2 36@... ; No. 2 white, 38@38½c.

Oats, unchanged; No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 2 mixed, 32@35c.

Rye, steady, 61@62c.

Hay, weak; choice timothy, $16.50; choice prairie, $12.00@12.50.

Butter, steady; creamery, 25c; packing, 15c. Eggs, steady, 23c.

Receipts—Wheat, 85 cars.

RETAIL GRAIN MARKET.

Oats, $1.30@1.35 cwt.; corn, $1.05@1.10 cwt.; Corn chop, $1.10@1.15 cwt.; bran, $1.25@$1.30 cwt.; wheat, $1.35 cwt.; hay, $17.00@$18.00 ton, 90c to $1.00 cwt.; alfalfa, $14.00 to $15.00 ton, 80@85c cwt.

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FRESH FRUITS—Bananas, per doz., 25c; lemons, per dozen, 40c; grape fruit, (each) 10c, 12½c; oranges (Florida) per dozen, 25c to 40c; Catawba grapes, per basket, 35c; Malaga grapes, per lb., 25c; cranberries, per quart, 15c; winter nellis pears, per lb., 10c; Keifer pears, per lb., 10c; Italian chestnuts, per lb., 20c.

FRESH POULTRY—Spring turkey, per lb., 20c; spring ducks, per lb., 18c; spring chicken, per lb., 18c; young hens, per lb., 15c.

BUTTER AND EGGS—... cent butter, per lb., 30c; Blue Hill creamery butter, lb., 35c; Mallon creamery butter, lb., 30c; Daisy creamery butter, lb., 30c; Douglas creamery butter, lb., 30c; ranch butter, lb., 30c; cooking butter, lb., 20c; state eggs, per dozen, 25c; ranch eggs, per dozen, 35c.

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WANTED—Girl for general house work. Call mornings, 1629 North Weber.

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See us if you are in the market for this or other large tracts. This one goes for $12 per acre for the deeded land. The water rights and irrigated land are worth that alone.

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Real Estate and Loans.
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$5,000—For an 8-room house, modern in all respects, two bath rooms, cement cellar and walks, lot 45x90 feet, close to Colorado college; terms one-half cash, balance long time at 6 per cent.

$6,000—For a nice cottage of 6 rooms, fully modern, shade and fruit trees, cement walks, good barn and outbuildings, lot 50x190, North Weber, close in.

$4,500—For an 8-room house, bath and furnace heat, electric lights, good barn, lot 50x190, North Nevada, lot worth the money. $1,500 cash, balance on time.

$2,500—Buys a good 7-room house, lot 50x190, North Wahsatch, $200 cash, balance $20 per month.

FOR RENT.

7-room modern house, North El Paso, $15.00.

Money to loan at 6 and 7 per cent.

160-ACRE ranch, east of city; cattle, horses and everything necessary to farm with. Must sell at once on account of sickness. You can't afford to miss this opportunity, as it is a snap. Address A-66, Gazette.

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DR. G. W. PAULY and wife, graduates Still's college, Kirksville, Mo., 201-5 De Graff Bldg., 115 N. Tejon. Phone Red 1272. Best equipped office, best of service. Residence, 1711 N. Weber. Phone Main 956.

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Seven-room residence; A No. 1 condition; good neighborhood, Des Moines, Ia., for six or seven-room residence here.
WARNER & MILLER,
1012 Colorado Avenue.

WANTED TO RENT HOUSES.

GENTLEMAN and wife want to rent furnished housekeeping apartments. Must have modern conveniences and be close in. Address, A-71 Gazette.

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160 ACRES, fenced, 40 acres in cultivation, 3½ miles south of Peyton; running water. Inquire 1721 Grant Ave., West Side.

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BETWEEN Colo. Springs and Denver, the 15th, prestolite gas tank from automobile. Return to L. W. Bonbright, 1414 Wood Ave. Reward.

LOST—Bunch of keys. $1.00 reward for return to Gough hotel.

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WANTED for cash, in any part of Colorado, about 1,000 acres of good [illegible] ranch land. P. O. Box 61.

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FOR SALE—Two beautiful spotted driving ponies, harness and rig. Make a fine Christmas present for children. Call 1075 E. Huerfano St.

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DO YOU NEED MONEY?
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Suite 26-27 Midland Block.

$25 TO $500 on furniture, pianos, horses, cattle; lowest rates. 25 Bank Bldg.

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TO TRADE.

TO TRADE—4-room house and lot in south end for $1,500 stock of groceries. W. H. Scofield, 123 E. Huerfano.

CARPETS AND RUGS.

HANDSOME fluff rugs made from your old carpets. Silk portieres and rag carpets woven. We also bought and controlling the Colo. Springs Rug Mfg. Co. G. Odabashian, 436 E. Kiowa. Phone 1377.

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TAKEN UP—Cow and calf. Owner call and prove property. 415 West Kiowa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SEALED BIDS

Will be received by the City Treasurer of Colorado Springs until January 2nd at 12 M. for materials and supplies for the several city departments or offices, respectfully, to be delivered at place designated within the city of Colorado Springs, in accordance with specifications, at such times and in such quantities as they may be needed, during the first quarter of the fiscal year 1907.

Estimates and specifications will be furnished on application by the city treasurer and bids must be in accordance with specifications.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the city council, March 2, 1906.

W. H. HOAGLAND,
City Treasurer and Pur. Agent.

NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSURANCE SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Assurance Savings and Loan Association will be held at the office of the said association in the Hagerman Building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Tuesday, January 15, 1907, at the hour of 4 o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

EDGAR T. ENSIGN,
Attest: President.
WILLIS R. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

STATIONERY PROPOSALS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso county, Colo., will receive sealed proposals until 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, January 2nd, 1907, for supplying said county for the year 1907 with books, stationery, records, printing, lithographing and such other supplies, specifically mentioning and describing them, as are used by the several offices of said county.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for five hundred dollars as an evidence of good faith on the part of the bidder. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars.

Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned as county clerk and indorsed "Proposals for Books, Printed Matter and Stationery."

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or parts of bids.

By order Board of County Commissioners.

(Seal.) W. H. REED,
County Clerk.

December 10, 1906.

NOTICE OF REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.
Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 8, 1906.
To the Stockholders of the Ajax Gold Mining Company:

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of stockholders of the Ajax Gold Mining company will be held at the office of the company, 115 E. Kiowa St., Colorado Springs, Colo., on Tuesday, January 8th, 1907, at noon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The books for the transfer of stock will close on Dec. ... at ... o'clock p. m., and reopen upon the final adjournment of said meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.
R. L. GORICH, Secretary.

CLEANING AND DYEING.

DUSTY and spotted clothes are horrid things to wear, and will soil your linen quickly. It will pay you to have all dust and clean your suits each week, cost but $1.00 per month. The Pantatorium, 17 E. Bijou. Phone 523-A.

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MOVING furniture and pianos our specialty. Phone us when you expect to send goods by freight. We can consign your goods with other lots and save you money. Smith Storage and Transfer Co. Phone 166.

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MRS. THOMPSON, clairvoyant, 50c and $1.00. Hours 1 to 5. 26 S. Nevada.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

DENVER & RIO GRANDE.

No. NORTH, FOR DENVER.
16—From Ouray, Gunnison, Salida, Leadville and Glenwood ..... 4:50 am
6—From Salt Lake & Pac. Coast ..... 8:25 am
12—From St. Louis, K. C., Pueblo ..... 10:25 am
2—From St. Louis & Pac. Coast ..... 2:05 pm
10—From Pueblo and Canon City ..... 5:15 pm
14—From Trinidad and Pueblo ..... 6:15 pm
4—From Salt Lake & Pac. Coast ..... 7:30 pm

SOUTH AND WEST FROM DENVER.
15—For Ouray, Gunnison, Salida, and Leadville ..... 12:15 am
5—For Salt Lake & Pac. Coast ..... 11:50 am
1—For Salt Lake, St. Louis and Pacific Coast ..... 12:10 pm
9—For Canon City and Pueblo ..... 4:10 pm
7—For Pueblo, Alamosa, Durango ..... 9:30 pm
11—For Kan. City and St. Louis ..... 6:30 pm
2—For Salt Lake & Pac. Coast ..... 10:35 pm

MANITOU BRANCH TRAINS.

No.	Lv. Colo. Spgs.	No.	Lv. Manitou.
42	7:30 a	44	8:30 am
45	11:30 am	46	11:40 am
47	4:30 pm	43	1:25 pm

COLORADO & SOUTHERN.

119 E. Pike's Peak Avenue.
Phone Main 164.
Effective Sunday, October 14.

NORTHBOUND.
No. 13 for Denver ..... 5:40 am
No. 5 for Denver ..... 6:36 am
No. 607 for Denver ..... 11:45 am
No. 1 for Denver ..... 1:26 pm
No. 601 for Denver ..... 3:45 pm
No. 3 for Denver ..... 6:15 pm
No. 11 for Denver ..... 7:06 pm

SOUTHBOUND.
No. 608 for Pueblo ..... 6:40 am
No. 4 for Pueblo ..... 10:20 am
No. 2 for Pueblo and south ..... 2:35 pm
No. 602 for Pueblo ..... 8:35 pm
No. 6 for Pueblo ..... 10:30 pm

G. H. LOGAN, Commercial Agent.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.

No. LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 42—Rocky Mountain Limited, For Omaha and Chicago ..... 10:40 am
No. 10—Eastern Fast Mail, for Kansas City ..... 2:20 pm
No. 28—Southeastern Express, for Kansas City, St. Louis and Southeast ..... 7:30 pm
No. 6—Eastern Express, for Omaha and Chicago ..... 9:00 pm
No. 5—For Pueblo ..... 8:25 am
No. 9—For Pueblo ..... 2:00 pm
No. 41—For Pueblo ..... 9:45 pm

ARRIVE AT COLORADO SPRINGS.
No. 5—Colorado Express, from Chicago and Omaha ..... 7:00 am
No. 27—Western Express, from St. Louis, Kansas City and Southeast ..... 5:15 am
No. 29—Colorado Flyer, from Kansas City ..... 11:25 am
No. 9—For Pueblo ..... 11:25 am
No. 41—Rocky Mountain Limited, from Chicago and Omaha ..... 9:30 pm
No. 42—From Pueblo ..... 10:30 am
No. 10—From Pueblo ..... 2:00 pm
No. 6—From Pueblo ..... 8:30 pm

All meals in dining cars. Tha... sleepers and chair cars on all trains.
W. W. WOOD, City Passenger Agt.
2 Pike's Peak Avenue.

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY.
(MIDLAND ROUTE.)
Leave Colorado Springs.
No. 5—For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake and Pacific Coast (A. T. & S. F.-C. & S. Depot) ..... 11:35 am
No. 3—For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake and Pacific Coast (A. T. & S. F.-C. & S. Depot) ..... 11:50 pm
No. 8—For Victor and Cripple Creek (D. & R. G. Depot) ..... 6:30 pm

Arrive Colorado Springs.
No. 4—From Pacific Coast, Grand Junction, Glenwood, Aspen (A. T. & S. F.-C. & S. Depot) 6:35 pm
No. 6—From Grand Junction, Aspen, Glenwood, Leadville (A. T. & S. F.-C. S. depot) ..... 5:30 am
No. 8—From Cripple Creek, Victor and Ute Pass Points (D. & R. G. Depot) ..... 10:12 am

C. S. BROWNE, General Agent,
No. 9 N. Tejon St.

SANTA FE.
October 14, 1906.
Union Station, East Pike's Peak Ave.

No. NORTH FOR DENVER.
5—From Chicago and California ..... 6:53 am
13—From Colorado Midland ..... 9:40 a
607—Denver Express ..... 11:45 am
1—Colorado Fast Flyer ..... 1:30 pm
601—From Pueblo and East ..... 3:45 pm
3—Denver Express ..... 6:15 pm
11—From Colorado Midland ..... 7:05 pm

EAST BOUND AND CALIFORNIA.
608—For Chicago and Kan. City ..... [illegible]
4—Kansas City Flyer ..... [illegible]
12—To Colorado Midland Ry. ..... [illegible]
2—For Pueblo ..... [illegible]
602—California Lim. and Chicago ..... [illegible]
6—For Chicago, K. C., El Paso ..... [illegible]
16—To Colorado Midland Ry. ..... [illegible]

C. C. HOYT,
18 N. Tejon St. City Pa...

UNION PACIFIC RAILWAY
[illegible]

CRIPPLE CREEK SHORT LINE
[illegible]
WEST BOUND.
11—Leave Colorado Springs ..... [illegible]
Arrive Cripple Creek ..... [illegible]
EAST BOUND.
Leave Cripple Creek ..... [illegible]
Arrive Colorado Springs ..... [illegible]

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK DISTRICT R...
WEST BOUND.
[illegible]
EAST BOUND.
[illegible]

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Good Things for Xmas

1 lb. Fancy Table Raisins..25c	Fancy English Walnuts, lb...20c
1 lb. Imported Figs........25c	Fancy Brazil Nuts, lb......20c
1 pkg. California Figs......10c	Fancy Jumbo Pecans, lb....20c
1 lb Malaga Grapes.......35c	Fancy Filberts, lb..........20c
1 lb. Persian Dates.........10c	Fancy Almonds, lb.........20c

Fancy Naval Oranges 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c per doz, by the box $3.65

1 box White Winter Pearmain Apples, extra choice........$1.65

1 box Black Twig Apples, extra choice..................$1.60

1 lb. can Plum Pudding.....30c	Fancy Fruit Cakes, per lb..40c
2 lb. can Plum Pudding.....55c	2 lbs. Bulk Mince Meat.....25c
3 lb. can Plum Pudding.....85c	3 pkgs. Mince Meat.........25c
Small bot. Stuffed Olives....10c	2 lbs. Shelled Peanuts......25c
Med. bot. Stuffed Olives....25c	Oriole Seeded Raisins, pkg..15c
Large bot. Stuffed Olives...35c	12 oz. pkg. Seeded Raisins..10c
New Apple Cider, gallon.....40c	2 pkgs. Cleaned Currants...25c
1 can Asparagus Tips.......35c	2 qts. Cranberries.........25c

Every Day Needs

Walter Baker's Cocoa.......21c	3 pkgs. Washing Powder...10c
Walter Baker's Chocolate...32c	7 bars Lennox Soap........25c
16 lbs. Dry Onions..........25c	Small can Chef Salmon.....10c
5 lbs. Green Dried Peas....25c	2 large cans Tomatoes.....25c
4 lbs. N. Y. Buckwheat.....25c	3 cans Lima Beans.........25c
1 gal. Maple Syrup.......$1.00	3 cans Leader Peas........25c
16 lbs. Good Cabbage.......25c	3 cans Sugar Corn.........25c
12 lbs. Turnips.............25c	3 cans Pumpkin...........25c
7 lbs. Sweet Potatoes.......25c	3 cans Hominy............25c
9 bars Swift's Pride Soap...25c	2 cans Arctic Red Salmon...25c

Meat Department

Choice Rump Roast.......10c	3 lbs. Pork Sausage.......25c
Choice Round Steak.......10c	3 lbs. Hamburger..........25c
Nice Shoulder, pot or roast.7-8c	10 lbs. Plate Boil.........25c
Choice Rib Roast.........12½c	10 lbs. Mutton Stew.......25c
Pork Loin Roast..........12½c	2 lbs. Loin Pork Chop......25c

We carry everything in the meat line. Call and see us if you want to save money. Yours for business,

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NUTS

2 lbs. Mix Nuts..........25c

English Walnuts, Pecans, Brazil Nuts, Filberts — per lb. 20c

Roasted Peanuts, Shell Peanuts — 2 lbs. 25c

Hickory Nuts, Black Walnuts — 4 lbs. 25c

Raisins, Figs and Dates

2 pkgs. Seed Raisins	25c
2 pkgs. Clean Currants	25c
2 lbs. Muscatel Raisins	25c
1 lb. Cooking Raisins	10c
1 box Imp. Figs	25c
1 basket Imp. Figs	25c
1 box Stuffed Dates	30c
1 lb. Fresh Dates	10c
1 pck. Cal. Figs	10c

1 lb. Cooking Butter.........25c	1 pck. Mince Meat.........10c
1 lb. Ranch Butter...........30c	Bulk Mince Meat, 1 lb......10c
1 lb. Keystone Butter........35c	1 qt. Lingon Berries.......20c
1 lb. Star and Crescent Butter..38c	2 qts. Cranberries........25c

Turkeys, Turkeys, Turkeys

Live Turkeys, small and fat, per lb..........20c

Dressed Turkeys, per lb..........20c and 22c

Spring Ducks, per lb..........20c

Home Dressed Hens per lb..........15c

Home Dressed Springs, per lb..........18c and 20c

Choice Cut Rib Roast, per lb.........12½c	Rib Boil Beef, 6 lbs. for.........25c
Choice cut Loin Steak, per lb.........12½c	Hamburg Steak, 3 lbs. for.........25c
Choice P. H. Steak, per lb.........15c	Veal Chops, per lb.........15c
Choice Round Steak, per lb.........10c	Veal Roast, per lb.........12½c
Choice Pot Roast, per lb.........6c and 8c	Veal Stew, per lb.........10c

Fore Quarter Mutton Roast, lb.........10c	3 sets Brains.........25c
Rib or Loin Mutton Chop, lb.........15c	
Pig Pork Ham, lb.........12½c	Beef Tongue......... Smoked. Pickled. Fresh.
Pig Pork Shoulder, lb.........11c	
Pig Pork Sausage, lb.........10c	Fresh Beef Hearts, lb.........05c

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DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado College weather bureau for 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock p. m:

Temperature at 6 a. m.	35
Temperature at 12 m.	54
Temperature at 6 p. m.	43
Maximum temperature	56
Minimum temperature	33
Mean temperature	44
Max. bar. pres., inches	24.22
Min. bar. pres., inches	24.14
Mean vel. of wind per hour	20
Max. vel. of wind per hour	39
Relative humidity at noon	25
Dew point at noon	20
Precipitation in inches	0

City Briefs

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DOLLS at cost. Owl Book Store.

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SKELTON POST CARDS—3 for 5c, 10c dozen, 25c set. Martin Slaughter Sta. and Curio Co.

CALL UP Crumps, Phone Main 500, for choice plants, flowers, greens and Xmas Trees and etc.

TURKEY SHOOT — Tom Hazlitt ranch Christmas day, 9 a. m. Phone Red 1262. Take cemetery car.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION—Examinations for teachers desiring positions in the county schools were held in the High school yesterday. The number of applicants taking the examination was 12.

REWARD—$25 for brown fur boa, lost between Broadmoor and Uintah street, if returned to 30 W. Dale.

COLORADO SPRINGS lodge, 1077, M. B. A., will give a dance in W. O. W. hall, Wednesday night, December 26th.

COME early and avoid the rush for plants and cut flowers. The largest assortment to select from. William Clark, Wahsatch and Platte.

LAST NOONDAY MEETING—J. W. Mahood spoke on "In Prison" at the last of a series of noonday meetings at the Opera house yesterday at noon.

XMAS PLANTS—We solicit an inspection of our superb stock of plants and flowers for Christmas. Crumps' 509 E. Columbia Street—Phone Main 500.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT—The Hillside Christian Sunday school will give a Christmas entertainment on Monday evening. On Thursday, December 27, the members of the Young People's society of the church will give a program.

Anti dust, anti coal, anti rattle, Chamberlain Weather Strip, 224½ S. Tejon.

Ask your grocer for some of those sweet Arizona oranges.

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Some recent arrivals in directly imported dinner sets are so belated that a substantial cut must be made in price.

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A dozen plates or a whole set makes a useful, beautiful gift.

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Call in and drink a cup of coffee with us.

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December 15th '06.

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A razor their wives can't use for trimming corns.

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1 lb Best Creamery Butter	35c
1 lb Fresh Ranch Butter	25c
1 dozen Strictly Fresh Eggs	40c
Solid White Cabbage, lb	2½c
Hubbard Squash, lb	2½c
1 can Best Custard Pumpkin	15c
2 lbs Very Fine Home Made Mince Meat	25c
2 quarts Extra Nice Cranberries	25c
1 lb Golden Dates	10c
1 lb New Figs	10c
1 jar Filled Figs or Dates	35c
1 lb 6 Crown Layer Raisins	25c
1 lb 6 Crown Layer Figs	20c
1 doz. California Navel Oranges, 25c, 30c, 35, 40c and	50c
1 doz. Arizona Navel Oranges (very sweet), 40c, 45c and	50c
Fancy Candies from, lb., 12½c to	35c
New English Walnuts, Pecans, Filberts, etc., lb	20c
1 doz. Large Juicy Lemons	30c
1 gal. Sweet Cider	35c
1 qt. Grape Juice	50c
1 pt. Grape Juice	25c
½ pt. Grape Juice	15c
1 Stalk Extra Fancy (Paschal) Celery	05c
1 Bunch Extra Fancy Lettuce	05c
Extra Fancy Turkeys, lb	20c
Extra Fancy Young Geese, lb	18c
Extra Fancy Springs and Broilers, lb., 18c and	20c

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